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ASSASSINS ATTEMPT LIFE OF PRESIDENT-ELECT ROOSEVELT

TRAMWAY COMPANY'S RECORD YEAR

Chairman Explains Bus Govt. Tenders.

HEAVY LOSS ON BUS SERVICES

That Government did not accept two schemes offered by the Hong Kong Tramways, Limited, in connection with the franchisement of the motorbus services both on the Island and on the mainland, was revealed by Mr. A. B. Stewart (Chairman) in his speech when presiding at the ordinary yearly meeting of the Company held at the board room of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., at noon to-day.

Addressing the meeting, the Chairman said:—"We have had a very good year. Traffic receipts were \$2,082,691 or approximately six per cent more than in 1931, passengers numbered 35,541,995 and car-miles operated were 3,325,058, whilst the net profit amounts to \$1,029,456. If an exceptional profit on investments in the year 1932 had been included it can be said that traffic receipts, car-miles operated, passengers carried and net profit all reach figures which are the highest in the company's records. This, I think, you will agree is highly satisfactory.

"It will be remembered that in the closing months of 1931 the rails of both tracks between Pedder Street and City Hall were renewed. During the autumn of last year the track between City Hall and (Continued on Page 4.)

NEW ENTENTE IN EUROPE

48,000,000 United In Federation.

RUMANIA, JUGO-SLAVIA AND CZECHO-SLOVAKIA

Geneva, To-day.

A new European Community Federation, embracing a population of 48,000,000, comes into existence at Geneva tomorrow, when the Foreign Ministers of Rumania, Jugoslavania and Czecho-Slovakia sign a pact consecrating a new alliance, replacing the Little Entente.

The Agreement provides that the three countries act in unison in all political questions, and prohibits Treaties with other States without the consent of all.

The participants have discussed the common attitude to disarmament and are also resolved to strengthen their economic relations. — Reuter.

JANUARY TRADE RETURNS.

Decrease In Imports And Exports.

The Statistical Office of the Imports and Exports Department reports that total imports of merchandise into the Colony in the month of January, 1933 amounted to \$38.0 millions (\$2.4 millions) as compared with \$54.1 millions (\$3.8 millions) in January, 1932, while exports totalled \$31.3 millions (\$2.0 millions) as compared with \$38.3 millions (\$2.7 millions).

U.S. BILL TO AMEND BANKING LAWS

Detroit, To-day.

President Herbert Hoover and Mr. Order G. Millard, drafting a Federal Law to amend the United States and in liquidating the de-capitalized bank assets. — Reuter.

MAYOR OF CHICAGO BADLY WOUNDED

ROOSEVELT ESCAPES HAIL OF BULLETS

UNKNOWN ASSAILANT SEIZED BY CROWD

MIAMI, FLORIDA, TO-DAY.

A DARING ATTEMPT TO ASSASSINATE PRESIDENT-ELECT FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT WAS MADE HERE TO-DAY BY A GUN-MAN. FIVE SHOTS WERE FIRED INTO THE CAR IN WHICH MR. ROOSEVELT WAS RIDING ACCOMPANIED BY MAYOR ANTONY CERMAK, AND ALTHOUGH MR. ROOSEVELT WAS UNSCATHED, MAYOR CERMAK WAS SERIOUSLY WOUNDED. THE WIFE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE FLORIDA POWER AND LIGHT COMPANY AND A SECRET-SERVICE GUARD WERE ALSO HIT, THE LATTER BEING WOUNDED IN THE HEAD.

The assailant, who is at present unknown, was seized without difficulty by the angry crowd and only the timely intervention of the police saved him from being beaten to death.

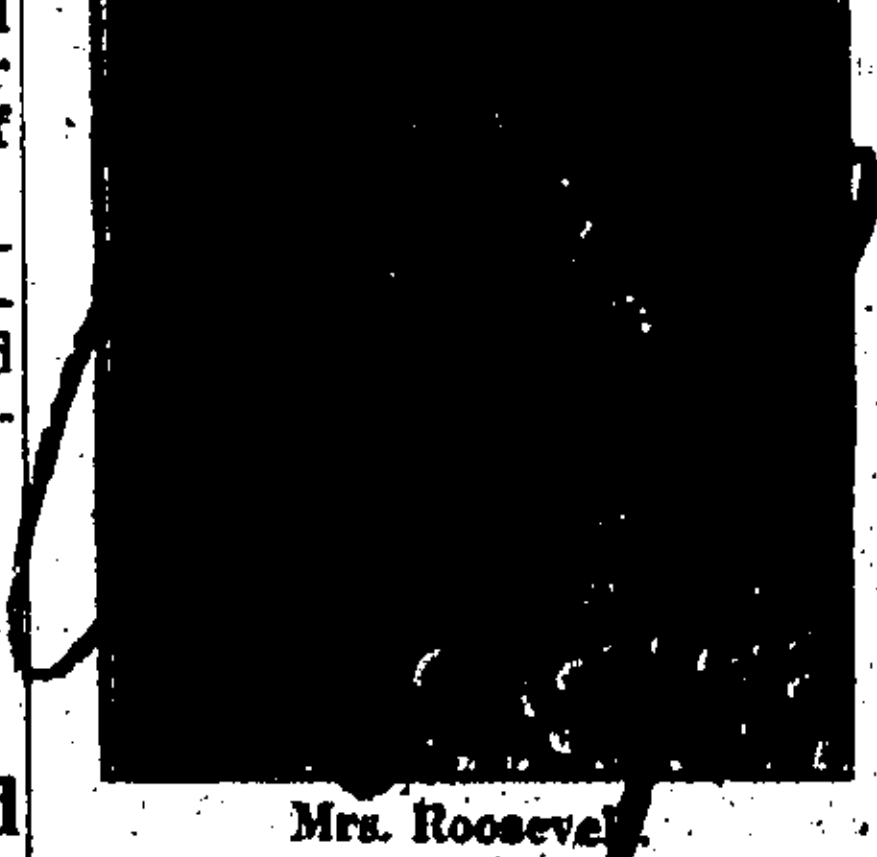
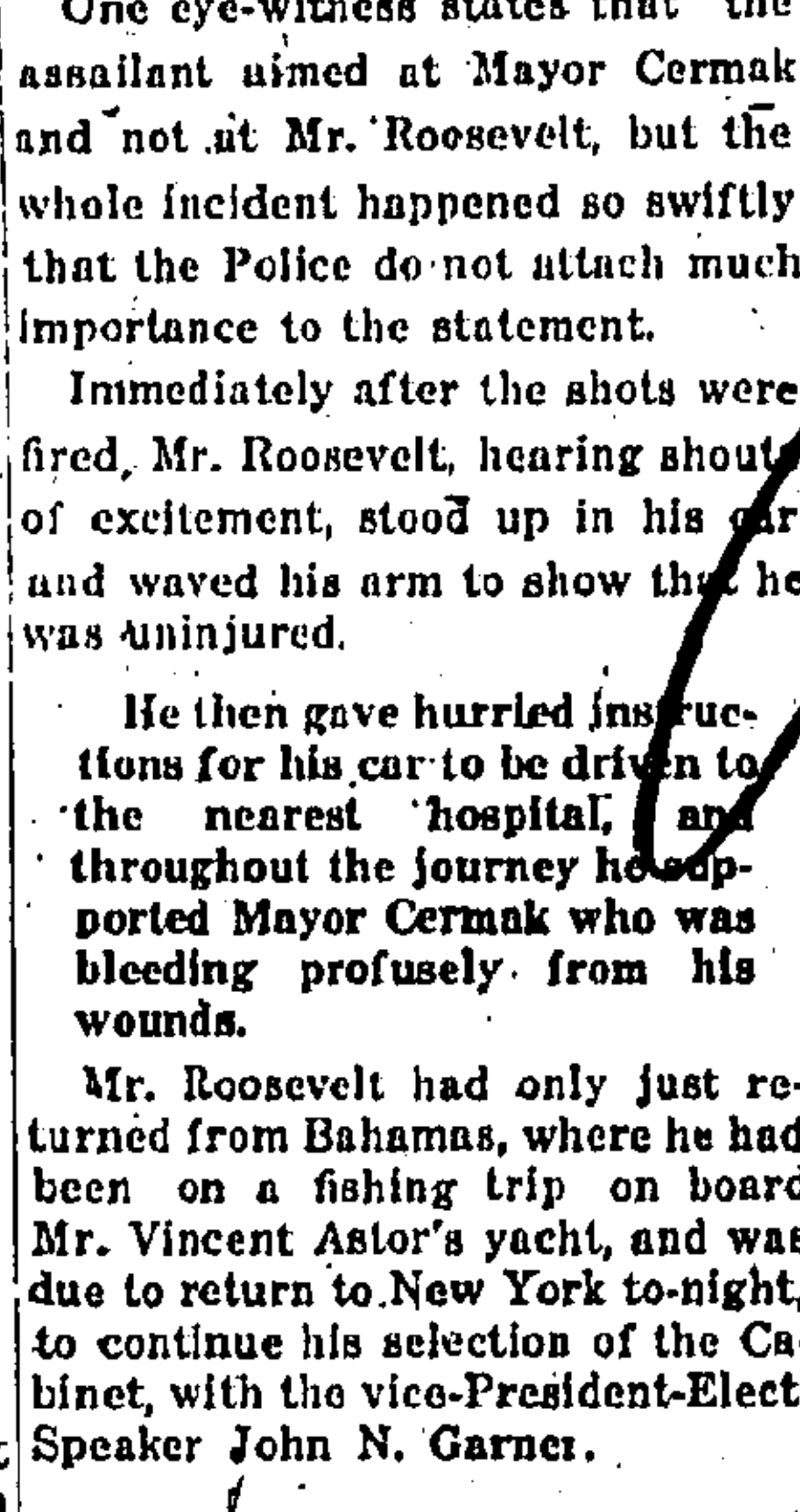
When the attempt was made, Mr. Roosevelt was on his way to attend a reception in honour of his visit. The streets were thronged with onlookers who were wildly cheering the President-Elect. No warning of the attempt was given and only those who were standing near the would-be assassin saw him pull his gun and fire into the car.

One eye-witness states that the assailant aimed at Mayor Cermak and not at Mr. Roosevelt, but the whole incident happened so swiftly that the Police do not attach much importance to the statement.

Immediately after the shots were fired, Mr. Roosevelt, hearing shout of excitement, stood up in his car and waved his arm to show that he was uninjured.

He then gave hurried instructions for his car to be driven to the nearest hospital, and throughout the journey he supported Mayor Cermak who was bleeding profusely from his wounds.

Mr. Roosevelt had only just returned from Bahamas, where he had been on a fishing trip on board Mr. Vincent Astor's yacht, and was due to return to New York to-night, to continue his selection of the Cabinet, with the vice-President-Elect, Speaker John N. Garner.



He has, however, expressed his intention of delaying his departure, and will stay at the hospital with Mayor Cermak, whose injuries have not yet been fully determined.

Mr. Roosevelt's assailant as he shot, shouted: "I am Joe Zingara. I kill all Presidents and all Officers. Six people were wounded by the flying bullets. — Reuter.

Many precautions have been taken for the safety of President-Elect Roosevelt, who has been vacationing at Warm Springs before he takes over office as President of the United States on March 4. He is guarded by a large force of Secret Service men and his house at Warm Springs has been illuminated by flood-lights every night. — Reuter.



Mr. Franklin D. Roosevelt.

"Your Have Got To Expect These Things."

MRS. ROOSEVELT'S COMMENT ON SHOOTING.

New York, Later.

"That's great" cried the wife of Mr. Roosevelt, when she learned that he was uninjured. "You have got to expect these things."

President Hoover wired to Mr. Roosevelt rejoicing at his escape.

The guards round Mr. Roosevelt have been ordered to be doubled immediately, also those at the White House, Washington.

The Police do not know Zingara. — Reuter.

LITTLE HOPE HELD FOR CERMAK.

Later.

Little hope is entertained of saving the life of Mayor Cermak.

The assassin's bullet passed clean through his body, entering his chest and going out through his back.

He then gave hurried instructions for his car to be driven to the nearest hospital, and throughout the journey he supported Mayor Cermak who was bleeding profusely from his wounds.

German "Red Bloodhound" New Governor Of Hanover

Berlin, To-day.

The re-shuffling of German officials throughout the country determined by Chancellor Adolf Hitler to curb Communist activities, has commenced with the replacing of Nationalist successors in posts formerly occupied by members of other parties.

Thirteen Provincial Governors and 15 Police Presidents have been placed in the reduced list to-day. — Reuter.



Mr. Tom Harrison, the Oxford athlete and Olympic half-mile champion, married Miss Winifred Thiele, at the Abbey Church, St. Albans, Hertfordshire.

Both bride and bridegroom are teachers at St. Albans.

TRAGIC RIOTS IN RUMANIA

Artillery Troops Called Out.

20 INJURED WHEN MOBS FIRED AT.

Bucharest, To-day.

Twenty people, mostly women, were wounded by machine-guns in a clash between troops and sympathizers with 4,000 strikers who barricaded themselves in the railway workshops following the arrest of their leader.

The troops hoped that they could force the men to surrender from cold and hunger, but relatives appeared, bringing blankets and food, thus causing the clash.

Artillery was brought up and trained on the workshops, the inmates of which were believed to be unarmed.

Workers in other parts of Rumania have been equally restless since the beginning of the recent campaign against Communism, which is declared illegal. — Reuter.

BRITISH EXPORTS OF MUNITIONS.

Trade With China And Japan.

London, To-day.

In the House of Commons, replying to Mr. G. Le M. Mander, Mr. Walter Runciman gave a list of the munitions recently exported to China and Japan.

For December the list showed 68,000 40-millimetre shells, 8,500 machine gun cartridges and 40 machine guns exported to Japan, and 20 machine guns exported to China.

In January 4,000,000 rifle cartridges were exported to China. — Reuter.

U.S. Millionaire Kidnapping

Police Arrest Two Rum-Runners

Denver, Colorado, To-day.

The police have arrested George Zadingo and have detained "Red" Mitchell, both of whom are described as rum-runners, in connection with the kidnapping of Mr. Charles Boettcher, the millionaire banker, and friend of Col. Lindbergh.

Mrs. Boettcher has broadcast her willingness to pay any ransom for her husband's safe return.

Mr. Boettcher was kidnapped from his own doorstep on Sunday only a few hours after he arrived by air from Kansas City. He was opening the door of the garage that held up by gunmen, and in response to a signal from his wife, who was still seated in the car, he allowed himself to be kidnapped without a struggle. — Reuter.

"SOCIAL EVIL" IN COLONY

I.G.P. Replies To Mr. Braga

DANCING ACADEMIES AND CABARETS

At the Legislative Council meeting this afternoon, the Inspector General of Police (Hon. Mr. E.D.C. Wolfe) replying to questions asked by the Hon. Mr. J. P. Braga regarding the Colony's cabarets and dancing academies said he was aware that certain sections of the community regarded the institutions as places of social evil, but on representations had been made to him.

Answers of I.G.P.

The I.G.P. replied:—"The Inspector General of Police is aware that such institutions exist in the Colony and that the number is increasing. The (Continued on Page 4.)

NAVAL BASE AT SINGAPORE.

Hong Kong Shares Cost With Malaya and N.Z.

London, To-day.

Sir Bolton Eyres-Mountslair, First Lord of the Admiralty, announced in the House of Commons that the total expenditure so far on the Singapore Naval Base, including the floating dock, was £4,450,000, of which Malaya, New Zealand and Hong Kong contributed £2,122,000, leaving a net expenditure on the Navy of £2,328,000. — Reuter.

BODY-LINE BOWLING TO BE RULED UNFAIR

South Australian Cricket Assn. Take Action

Adelaide, To-day.

The South Australian Cricket Association have passed a resolution disapproving "Body Line" Bowling. They appeal to Club captains to prevent its use on the grounds of unnecessary risk and injury, and that it robs the game of its most interesting stroke play.

They have declared that such bowling will probably be classed in Australia as unfair play. — Reuter.

BELGIAN CABINET DEFEATED

King Albert Refuses Resignation.

A VILLAGE ELECTION CANCELLED

Brussels, To-day.

The Belgian Cabinet has resigned. The resignation followed the Government's defeat by 82 votes to 72 on the Socialist motion censuring the Minister of the Interior for cancelling the Communist elections at Hastiere.



Brussels, Later.

King Albert has refused to accept the Belgian Cabinet's resignation on the ground that the nation is unable to comprehend the fate of the Government, whose self-imposed duty was the improvement of the financial and economic situation, could depend on the validity or otherwise of a village election.

The Premier, Count de Broqueville, asked for 24 hours in which to consider the position.

Meanwhile the Liberals, who voted against the Government are again prepared to co-operate. — Reuter.

ARCHIE JACKSON PASSES AWAY

Day After Engagement Announced.

PROTEGE OF KIPPAX

Brisbane, To-day.

Archie Jackson, the former Australian Test batsman, died this morning after a lengthy illness. His engagement to Miss Phyllis Jean Thomas was only announced yesterday.

Miss Thomas has been a constant companion throughout his long illness, and it was expected that Jackson would recover after his fall less than a fortnight ago. — Reuter.

ENGLAND WIN TEST BY SIX WICKETS

Leyland Caught At 86.

ONLY 1,000 SEC FINISH.

Brisbane, To-day.

England won the fourth Test to-day by six wickets.

England lost two more wickets this morning in obtaining 53 runs needed for victory.

The wicket was left unaffected by rain early this morning, but only a small crowd witnessed the resumption of the English innings at 107 for 2 in threatening weather.

Ironmonger, who can best make use of a wearing wicket, opened the Australian attack with O'Reilly, and met with an early success when he had Hammond taken by Bromley at cover point. 118-8-14.

The Gloucestershire batsman had batted solidly for 71 minutes and his 14 was scored out of 40.

Leyland, who had been playing magnificent cricket, fell to a catch in the slips off O'Reilly at 138, his score being 86.

He played a dominating innings blending caution and aggression in a masterly manner. During his stay of 222 minutes he hit a five and nine boundaries.

With Paynter and Ames together runs came quickly. The Lancashire left-hander got O'Reilly away to the leg boundary off his first ball and then Ames hit the same bowler for a six on the off side.

Paynter played dashing cricket, and soon got Ironmonger past mid on to the rails to send up 163 as the result of 243 minutes' play.

Light rain succeeded in hurrying matters, Ames claiming a three to the on off McCabe, and Paynter scored the winning hit off the next ball when he hooked the same bowler for a six to the fine leg boundary.

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Test averages and statistics are published on the Sports Pages.

Scores:—

AUSTRALIA.

First Innings 340

Second Innings 175

ENGLAND.

First Innings 356

Second Innings

Sutcliffe, c Darling, b Wall . 2

D. R. Jardine, l.b.w., b Ironmonger 24

Leyland, c McCabe, b O'Reilly 85

Hammond, c Bromley, b Ironmonger 14

Paynter, not out 14

Ames, not out 14

Extras 9

Total (for 4 wks.) 163

Fall of the wickets:—1 for 5; 2 for 78; 3 for 118; 4 for 138.

Bowling Analysis.

O. M. R. W.

Wall 7 1 17 1

O'Reilly 30 11 65 1

Ironmonger 35 13 47 2

McCabe 7 4 25 0

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AUSTRALIA 51: ENGLAND 58

The following table shows how the two countries stand at the present moment.

E. A. D. T.

England 51 33 5 71

Australia 50 31 13 23 67

50 51 37 123



The Woman's Page



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HONG KONG HEIGHTS

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Island.		Feet
Victoria Peak		1,823
Signal Station		1,774
Mt. Parker		1,784
Mountain Lodge		1,725
The Eyrie		1,725
Peak Hotel		1,805
Taikoo Sanatorium		1,000
Mt. Davis		877
Bowen Road (alterbeds)		297
Mainland.		Feet
Talismohan		3,124
Kowloon Peak		1,971

RUG AND CARPETS NOW CHEAP.

Deep Reds And Blues
For Tone.

Rugs and carpets were never so cheap as at present, and there is nothing which, properly carried out, so improves the appearance of a room. Often it is impossible to buy a carpet that one really likes since, naturally, the best things are not always among those which cost least.

But it is often possible to carpet with rugs, and some of the Persian, Baluchistan, and other rugs are cheap and beautiful now and they have the advantage of being able to be pieced together and therefore of not requiring to be bought all at once. Rugs are much easier to clean than carpets and for small flats, where the owners do a good deal of the work, they are invaluable.

For ordinary purposes those rugs which contain the deep reds and the deep blues are perhaps the most satisfactory. They tone with most things, and the colour only becomes more mellow with time. There is also a deep red over which is a velvety brownish tinge.

Many Persian rugs have the quality of shadows—as though a cloud were passing over the sky—and this in itself is attractive. They nearly all go with modern furniture. Where modern rugs are liked those of which the designs are derived from some common object are usually the most satisfactory.

The rug of which the origin was a butcher's apron is eminently desirable, and others in which other textile notes are repeated are also good. These mostly have arrangements of stripes or dots, which give them a pleasing tone for the rest of the room.

WHEN YOU CHOOSE YOUR LINENS.

"Looking Faults" In
Bed Sheets.

Do housewives generally know of the opportunities that are offered of bargains in linens nowadays? To-day "kingly linen," a term often met with in old poems, is quoted at figures less than those asked for by its half-sister, cotton, a couple of years ago.

It may puzzle you why linen sheets of the same size and seemingly about the same quality should be at various prices. Hence a few hints on choosing the best value cannot come amiss.

When offered the choice of sheets priced at different figures, feeling with the fingers will usually tell the texture and proclaim the "money worth" article to be of better flax of greater strength—which means your sheet will be stronger and last longer.

Equally as important is close inspection by holding the sheet up against the light—"looking faults" is the technical term—whereby you can discern the better cloth is woven closer, that is, with more threads to the inch.

The cheaper sheet has more open meshes between the threads; and a close, tight weave predicts a much stronger sheet. Furthermore, inspection by light reveals irregular, rough patches and knots in some cloths, because of uneven spinning and careless weaving. Select always the sheet with smooth and even threads devoid of roughish spots.



Velvet Upholstery

Velvet cushions and furniture upholstered in velvet, particularly corduroy velvet, seem to have a dusty appearance even after they have been thoroughly brushed. Dust-covers should always be placed over such articles when the room is being cleaned, and the articles themselves should be beaten well and brushed with a fairly stiff brush.

Finally go over them with a damp chamois leather, wringing out the leather in warm water, and it will be found that the dusty look disappears.

HAIR AND EYE LASHES.

Hair that cannot be combed or brushed is now affected by the really smart. Twisted into the most fantastic shapes and curls it is waved and set with a heavy plastic lotion, baked hard and sprayed with spirit gum! Then the sculpture-like waves are sprayed with crushed silver, gold, scarlet, green or blue to produce a glittering powdered tinsel effect.

The hair has to be washed with spirit in order to be itself again and women affecting the new mode must be careful how they sleep. Indeed a Japanese pillow would be the best. Fingernails, and preferably eyelashes as well, are worn to match. Detachable eyelashes in colour or a semi-permanent variety are now readily obtainable in all shades.

Menu Suggestions For To-morrow

Breakfast.
Grapefruit
Pan Cakes Maple Syrup
Coffee
Luncheon.
Tuna Salad Sandwiches
Hot Chocolate
Sugar Cookies Apple Sauce
Dinner.
Baked Halibut Steak
Baked Potatoes
Escalloped Tomatoes
Bread Butter
Celery
Dutch Peach Cake Cream
Coffee

Pan Cakes, Serving Four.
2 cups flour
4 teaspoons baking powder
1 tablespoon sugar
1/3 teaspoon salt
1 egg
1 1/2 cups milk
1 tablespoon fat, melted
Mixed ingredients, beat two minutes. Drop tablespoonsful of batter onto greased griddle. When bubbles appear on the tops of cakes, carefully turn and brown other sides. Serve hot.
Butter usually accompanies pan cakes. Brown or white sugar, honey, marmalades or any kind of

syrup may be served with the buttered cakes.

Escalloped Tomatoes.
3 cups tomatoes
2/3 cup cracker crumbs
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/4 teaspoon pepper
2 tablespoons chopped onions
2 tablespoons chopped celery
4 tablespoons butter
Mixed ingredients and pour into buttered baking dish. Bake 20 minutes in moderate oven.

Dutch Peach Cake.
2 cups flour
4 teaspoons baking powder
1/4 teaspoon salt
1/3 cup sugar
4 tablespoons fat
1 egg
1/2 cup milk
Mix flour, baking powder, salt and sugar. Cut in fat, and egg and milk. Pour into greased shallow pan. Cover with peach mixture.

Peach Mixture.
1 1/2 cups peaches
1/2 cup light brown sugar
1 tablespoon cinnamon
4 tablespoons butter
Mix ingredients, spread on soft dough. Bake 20 minutes in moderate oven. Cut in squares, serve warm.

FASHION'S DICTATES FOR 1933.

Untailored Cloth Suits
Popular.

Cloth suits of the untailored, "dressmaker" persuasion are very popular just now, especially when they are fur-trimmed. One seen the other day consisted of quite a plain little black dress with a faintly flared skirt, the jacket ended at the waist-line, where it fitted snugly and was edged all round with black Persian lamb about five or six inches wide. The sleeves were bulky, half cloth and half Persian lamb, and the coat that went with it crossed and wrapped over in front, fastening upon the left shoulder under the collar.

The hat that went with it was perfectly simple. Just a black felt crown and a narrow, brim turned up on one side, made of Persian lamb.

Velvet is being used in the same way as furs as trimmings on day dresses. On black woollen dresses it is used for various other ways. Dark brown deep yokes, half sleeves, and in velvet is used with beige cloth in the same way that flat brown fur is employed, and some of the prettiest dresses this year have yokes of a darker material than the dress, for this velvet is far smarter than fur, and evening dresses have their arm-holes circled with fur, instead of having it at the hem or even at the neck.

Tomato Chutney

A good recipe for tomato chutney consists of 4 lbs. green tomatoes, 6 ozs. chopped onion, 2 lbs. apples, 6 ozs. brown sugar, 4 ozs. sultanas, 1 quart vinegar, 3 ozs. ground ginger, 1 oz. mustard seed, 6 ozs. seedless raisins and 3 ozs. salt. Scald the tomatoes, cut them into slices and lace in a large dish.

Sprinkle with salt and leave till next day, then drain off the liquid and turn the tomatoes into a pan. Cut up the apples and put them in the pan with all the other ingredients. Bring to the boil, stirring occasionally, then cook gently until soft. Pour into jars and tie down when cold.

To pickle tomatoes, slice 4 lbs. fruit and place them in a stewpan with a dessertspoonful moist sugar, 1 teaspoonful salt and 1 dessertspoonful mixed spice. Cover with vinegar and cook slowly for 1 1/2 hours. Pack into jars, leave till cold, then cover.

Green tomato jam is a change from the more usual preserves. Skin and slice 3 lb tomatoes and place in a pan with the juice of a lemon. Tie the grated lemon rind and 1 oz. whole ginger in a bag, put it in the pan and boil until the tomatoes are tender, then add 4 lbs. sugar.

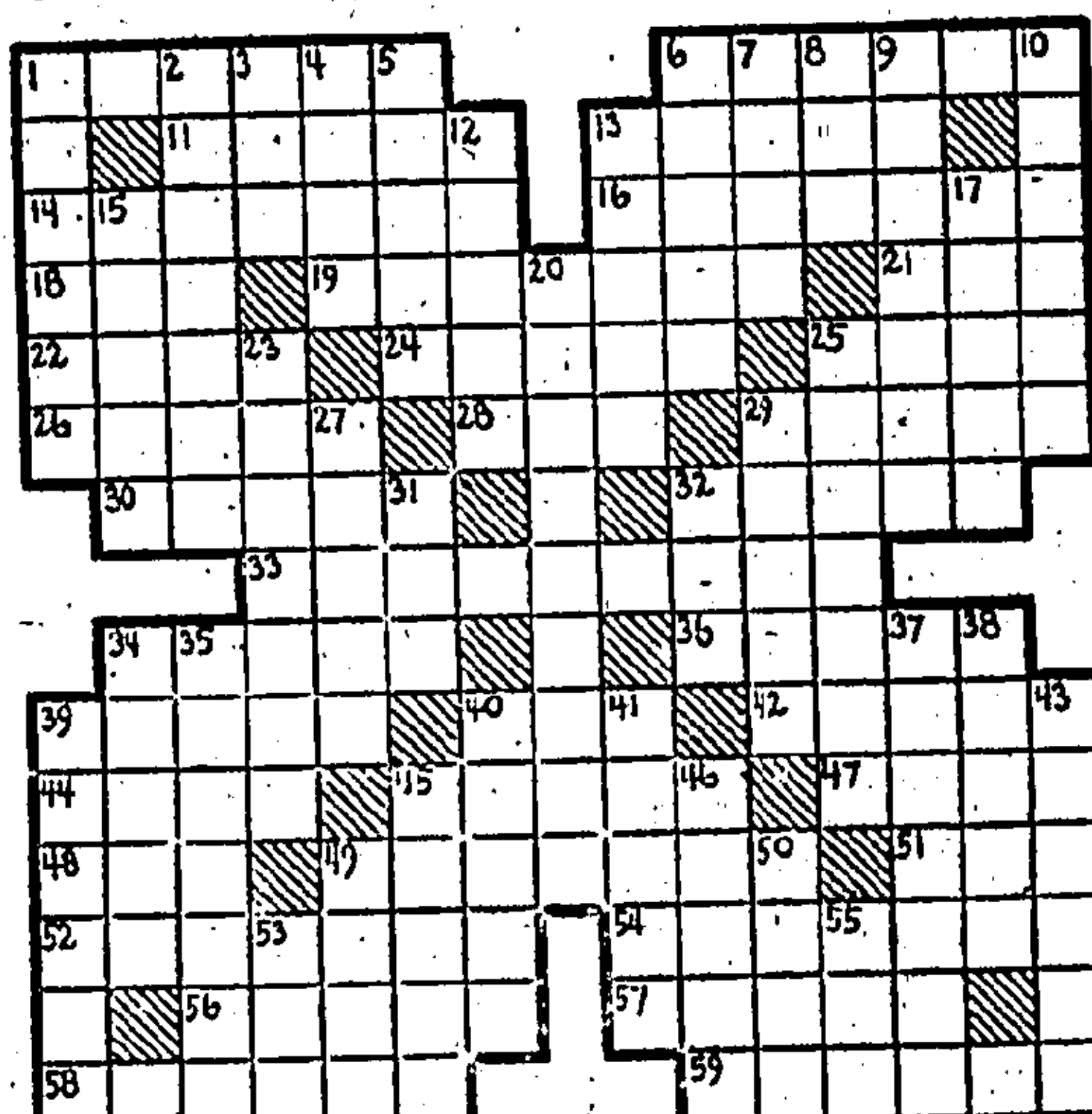
Boil gently until the jam jellies when tested. Take out the ginger bag, turn into jars and cover at once. Sauce made from green tomatoes is tasty with cold meat. Peel and slice two onions and 8 lbs. tomatoes, put them in a pan with 6 ozs. chopped apple and cook slowly till tender. Run through a fine sieve and add 2 ozs. salt, 1/2 teaspoonful cayenne, 1 pint vinegar and 1/4 lb. brown sugar.

Cook gently until the sauce is thick, then bottle while hot and cork immediately.

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DAILY CROSS-WORD PUZZLE.

This cross-word puzzle has been made by an expert but our readers are warned to look out for occasional phonetic spelling, such as harbor, plow, and altho.



HORIZONTAL

- 1-A lyric poet
- 6-To run around
- 11-River in France
- 13-Rate of motion
- 14-A cavalryman
- 16-Bare
- 18-Consumed
- 19-Lingered
- 21-Boy's name
- 22-Walk
- 24-Numbers between 12 and 20
- 25-Cotton fiber
- 26-Fatigued
- 28-Expire
- 29-A division of an extended poem
- 30-Willow twig
- 32-Kind of corn-bread
- 33-Antecedent
- 34-Baby bed (pl.)
- 36-Walks
- 38-Glossy
- 40-Existed
- 42-Build
- 44-Suspended
- 46-Ancient
- 47-Close by
- 48-Unit of work

HORIZONTAL (Cont.)

- 3-Living acreage (Bot.)
- 51-Railroad Post Office (abbr.)
- 52-Relieved
- 54-Boy's name
- 57-Time
- 58-Dress material
- 59-Penetrates

VERTICAL

- 1-Most recent
- 2-Disturbance of the peace
- 3-Combining form: Equal
- 4-A month (abbr.)
- 6-An unexpected amusement
- 6-Scouts
- 7-To look after
- 8-Crimson
- 9-Girl's name
- 10-A Spanish explorer
- 12-Made a mistake
- 13-Glisten
- 15-Relative amount

VERTICAL (Cont.)

- 17-Leases
- 20-Repeat
- 23-Modern name of Peking
- 25-A light giving device
- 27-A annual horse-race in England
- 28-A short story (Fr.)
- 31-Residence (abbr.)
- 32-Foot-like organ
- 34-A surly fellow
- 35-Spiral lock of hair
- 37-The nobility
- 38-Small capitals
- 39-A cutting implement
- 40-Guardians
- 41-Keen
- 43-Pledges
- 45-Sea
- 46-Cable unit of metric measure
- 48-Molding with an S curve
- 50-East Longitude (abbr.)
- 53-Compass point (abbr.)
- 56-Entomology (abbr.)

The solution of the above with a new cross-word puzzle will appear in to-morrow's issue.

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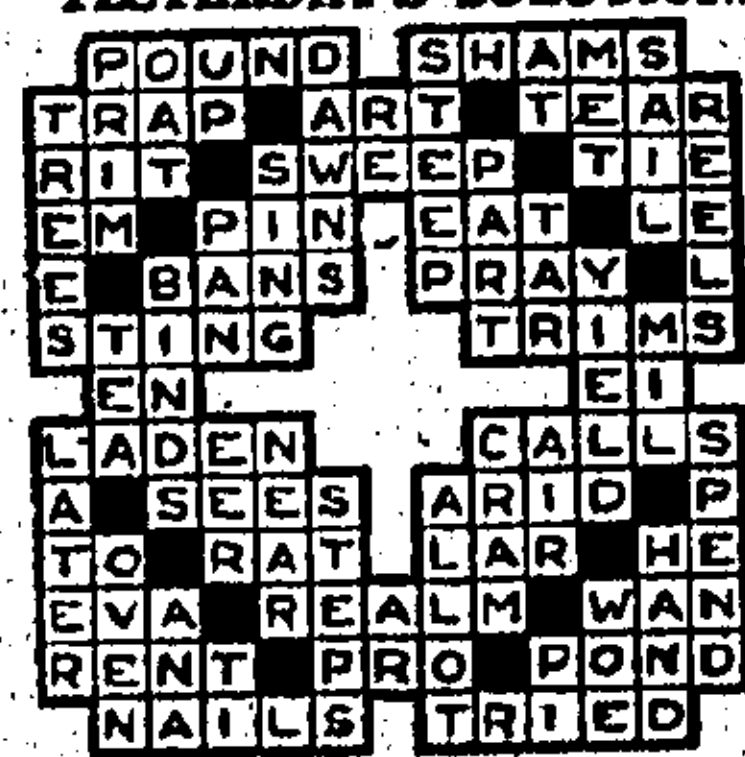
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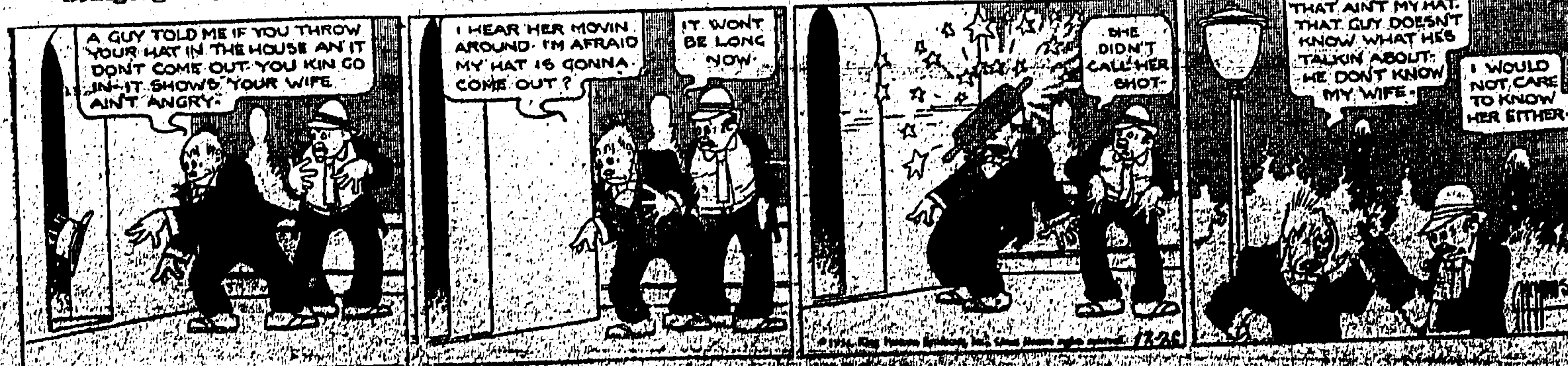
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A WHOLE WEEK'S NEWSPAPERS IN ONE.

George Bernard Shaw, scoffer of conventions, master of literary style and recognised as the world's outstanding critic of the present age, arrived in Hong Kong on February 11, on the Empress of Britain in the course of a world tour with Mrs. Shaw. England's literary giant, who is considered by many persons the world over as the most eminent living man of letters, is one of 363 tourists on the huge 42,348 ton liner of the Canadian Pacific Steamship. Breaking his resolution not to give a public address while on his present tour, Bernard Shaw spoke to students in the Great Hall of the Hong Kong University on February 13.

A full story of Mr. Shaw's visit, together with an interview, is given in the OVERLAND CHINA MAIL.

A strong appeal for more Scout Officers to cope with the increase in membership in the movement, was made by His Excellency Sir William Peel, K.C.M.G., K.B.E., Chief Scout of the Colony, when he presided over the annual meeting of the Hong Kong Branch of the Boy Scouts Association held at Sandilands' Hut on February 7. His Excellency remarked that the Scout movement was the finest of the modern day and it was a movement which had contributed enormously to the training of youth.

The meeting is reported in the OVERLAND CHINA MAIL.

Taking the chair at the 35th ordinary yearly meeting of the "Star" Ferry Company, Limited, held at the Board Room of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., on February 9, the Hon. Mr. J. J. Paterson explained that it had been said the Company was not anxious to operate the vehicular ferries.

A report of the meeting, together with reports on the annual meetings of Messrs. Humphreys Estate and Finance Co., Ltd., and the Hong Kong Land Investment and Agency Co., Ltd., is published in the OVERLAND CHINA MAIL.

Two Britons, Mr. Walker and Mr. Foster, of the Asiatic Petroleum Company, Limited, sustained slight burns about the face when a drum of kerosene exploded and ignited an oil filter tank at the A.P.C. Installation at North Point on February 11. The injured men were treated at the Government Civil Hospital and their condition, happily, is not considered to be serious.

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Sir Jos. Kemp has kindly consented
to take the Chair.

THE MOTORISTS' PAGE

EXHAUST IMPROVED IN NEW BUICK.

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The basic construction of the New Buick's engine remains the same as in last year's line but for 1933 many important improvements have been added to increase its efficiency, life and control.

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Four rings are used on the new Buick's pistons instead of three—two compression rings and two oil control rings. The second oil control ring has been added below the piston pin. With this type of oil control the oil economy is very much improved; in fact, at high speeds the improvement runs as much as 100 per cent.

The adoption of the four-ring piston is a very important feature as it adds many thousands of miles to the life of the engine. The life of an engine is usually judged from the amount of oil consumed and, after fifteen to twenty thousand miles of hard driving it was necessary some times on previous models to replace the rings. With the new construction the life will be doubled.

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Prominent leaders in the automobile industry, commenting on the results of the recent election see the result as a long step in the direction of normalcy. They were free in expressing their individual opinions that improvement, and not disturbance, will follow. They believe, too, that the same condition would have resulted had President Hoover been successful at the polls. Before election day there was a tremendous wave of unrest and uncertainty, but with this now out of the way the road is believed cleared for an immediate upturn in the motor industry.

Closely following the election two of the giants of the industry announced their plans for 1933, and others will soon follow. Chevrolet, a General Motors unit, announced a programme in preparation for the year just ahead, which calls for the expenditure of \$20,000,000 within the next two months. The schedule also calls for the production of 50,000 cars, radically different from current models.

Chevrolet's New Models

The new Chevrolets will have longer wheel base and include many important changes. Prices are not yet available, but it is officially stated that they will be "at a price which takes into account to-day's incomes."

It was intimated by President W. S. Knudsen that final announcement of price, combined with the introduction of all models, will silence rumours that the new line would be "stripped" models designed to meet the bare needs of transportation.

The new series will be the fifth annual model to employ a six-cylinder engine. The company has produced and sold more than 8,000,000 sixes.

The new Plymouth six, recently announced in the world's first international radio conference, is

device formerly furnished on the instrument board, it was left to the driver to set the heat control to meet the various temperature conditions. This was often neglected at the expense of poor performance and economy.

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Detroit, now on display in all Chrysler showrooms throughout the country. The car is new from bumper to bumper and, of course, takes place in the low price field where competition is increasing daily. The price range is between \$595 and \$495, which represents a price decrease of \$60 under prices of the former four-cylinder line.

On 107-Inch Wheel Base.

The new six is mounted on a 107-inch wheel base chassis, bodies are of the safety steel type, floating power engine, developing 70 brake horsepower, whose mountings differ slightly in design but not in principle from the present models. The free-wheeling unit is of the cam and roller type developed by Chrysler Motors' engineers. Standard equipment includes 17-inch wire wheels with tires, with demountable wood wheels of the same size obtainable at no increase in cost.

Officials at the Nash plant in Kenosha, decline to comment on their 1933 plans, but indications are that the new line is about ready for announcement and production is well under way. It is rumoured that the prices to go with the cars will be considerably reduced, and correspond with present incomes.

No statement is forthcoming from the Ford company on plans next year. No official inkling has been given on what the programme is in the face of the greatest competition in the low-price field that ever developed. It is likely however, that the V8 will be continued, either in the present form, or somewhat changed.

W. B. Angell, president of Continental Motors Corporation, has announced a change in the corporate name of the company's automobile division. To replace the name Continental De Vaux Company the name Continental Automobile Company has been selected. This company will be in the 1933 market with a new line of cars in the low-price field.

Buick Resumes Operations. Operations have resumed at the Flint factories of the Buick Motor Company, following a temporary shutdown due to changes made on bodies of 1933 models. The change has added a distinctive body feature to the new models.

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Two light car enthusiasts of East London, observing that the usual practice was to tackle the run in a high-powered car of ample weight, recently decided to see what a medium-powered light saloon would make of it. They chose a Wolseley Hornet, and experienced a go-trouble voyage, a fact which made a very favourable impression in the locality, where this class of car has generally been regarded as only suitable for town work. Considering that the "roads" in Southern Rhodesia are often only the wagon tracks left by pioneer settlers, and so deeply hump-backed that cars frequently go aground on the ridges, the performance of the little British saloon certainly deserves comment.

SIDE CAR SAFETY AND COMFORT.

A short time ago three motor cyclists I know were discussing what vehicle they would prefer for running daily to and from their office in the City of London, that is assuming they could have their choice of two, three and four wheels. The aggregate experience of the trio must amount to fully a million miles on all types of mounts, from small lightweight motor cycles to snappy sports cars.

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It is all very well "driving" a side-car in pouring rain—the driver has something upon which to concentrate, but the passenger has nothing. He or she deserves protection, and to-day the passenger, even in a sports sidecar, can have it—"Nitor," in "The Motor Cycle."

UTILISING EXHAUST FUMES.

A new commercial use for carbon monoxide—the poisonous constituent of exhaust gases—has been found. By an American process, the gas is used for the extraction of pure nickel from nickel ore, or from any other base in which nickel is found, and also for the extraction of iron from its ore.—"The Motor Cycle."

ARGENTINE TRUCK DEMAND.

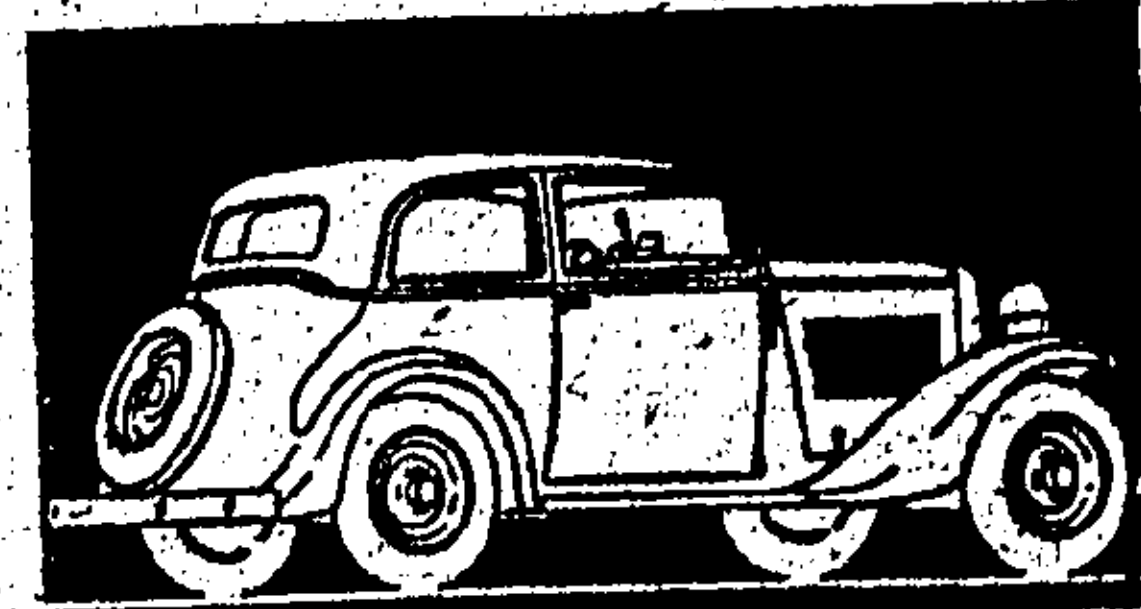
Washington.

An upward trend in truck sales during the first eight months of 1932 is reported by Argentine dealers, according to information just given out by the automotive division of the U.S. Department of State.

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REMINDER

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THE HONG KONG ELECTRIC CO., LTD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the FORTY-FOURTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING will be held at the Company's Offices, P. & O. Building, on WEDNESDAY, 15th March, 1933, at 11 a.m. for the purpose of presenting the Report of the Directors together with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1932, and electing Directors and Auditors.

The Register of Members of the Company will be CLOSED from 2nd March to 15th March, 1933, both days inclusive, during which period no transfer of Shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & CO., LTD.,
Agents.
Hong Kong, 16th February, 1933.

GENERAL NOTICES.

THE INSTITUTION OF ENGINEERS & SHIPBUILDERS OF HONG KONG

A Paper Entitled "BUILDING CEMENTS ANCIENT AND MODERN" will be read in the Institution by Professor F. A. REDMOND, B.Sc., D.I.C., F.G.S., on THURSDAY, February 16th, at 5.45 p.m. Members and their friends are invited to be present.

HONG KONG HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.

THE ANNUAL SHOW of FLOWERS and VEGETABLES will be held at the VOLUNTEER HEADQUARTERS on THURSDAY, the 2nd MARCH, 1933, from 8 p.m. to 6.30 p.m. ENTRIES WILL DEFINITELY CLOSE at NOON on THURSDAY, the 23rd FEBRUARY, 1933, at the Hon. Secretary's Office, 11, Queen's Road, Central, but intending exhibitors are requested to SEND IN THEIR ENTRIES AS EARLY AS POSSIBLE.

Members who have not yet paid their subscriptions and ALL THOSE who WISH to JOIN the Society are requested to send \$5.00 immediately to the Undersigned.

L. J. DAVIES,
Secretary.

Hong Kong, 2nd February, 1933.

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THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction

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SATURDAY, February 18, 1933, at 11 a.m., at their Sales Room, 4, Duddell Street, (for account of the concerned).

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Hong Kong, February 14, 1933.

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Hong Kong, February 15, 1933.

GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

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A. O. BROWN,
Director,

Technical Institute,
Hong Kong, 14th February, 1933.

SPORTS NOTICES.

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

ANNUAL RACE MEETING, 1933

18th, 20th, 21st, 22nd and 25th February, 1933.

ON SATURDAY, 18th, MONDAY, 20th, TUESDAY, 21st, and WEDNESDAY, 22nd February, the first race will be run at 11 a.m., and the first race will be run at 1.30 p.m. On SATURDAY, the 25th February, the first race will be run at 1.30 p.m., and the first race will be run at 2.00 p.m. The time interval will be taken after the fifth race on the first four days.

MEMBERS' BADGES AND ENCLOSURE.

Members are reminded that they and their ladies must wear their badges prominently displayed. No one without a badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure.

Badges admitting non-members to the Members' Enclosure and Club Room at \$10.00 per day including tax—or \$40.00 including tax for the Meeting (ladies \$5.00 and \$20.00 respectively), are obtainable through the Secretary upon introduction by a Member, such Member to be responsible for all chits, etc.

Badges admitting to Members' Enclosure will NOT be on sale at the Race Course.

The Secretary's Office, 3rd Floor, Gloucester Building (Tel. 27944), will close at 10 a.m. on the first four days, and at 12.30 p.m. on the fifth day.

A limited number of Tiffins will be obtainable each day at the Club House, provided they are ordered in advance from the No. 1 Boy, Telephone No. 21920.

On no pretext will children be permitted in either enclosure during the first four days of the Meeting.

PUBLIC ENCLOSURE.

The price of admission to the Public Enclosure is \$4.00 per day including tax for all persons, including ladies, and is payable at the Gate.

Soldiers and Sailors in uniform are admitted to the Public Enclosure at \$1.00 per day including tax.

Bookmakers, Tic Tac men, etc. will not be permitted to operate within the precincts of The Hong Kong Jockey Club during the Race Meeting.

Tiffins will be obtainable in the Restaurant in the Public Enclosure.

SERVANTS' PASSES.

Passes for Servants will be issued on application to the Secretary, 3rd Floor, Gloucester Building.

Employers are requested to distribute them with discrimination and to endorse their names on the passes.

Servants are not permitted in the Members' Enclosure except for passing through on their duties but must remain in their employers' stands.

Any persons found loitering with Servants' passes in their possession will forfeit the same and will be removed from the enclosure.

By Order,
G. B. BROWN,
Secretary.

Hong Kong, 24 February, 1933.

COMPANY MEETINGS

HONG KONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in this Corporation will be held at the Head Office of the Corporation, No. 1 Queen's Road Central, Hong Kong, on SATURDAY, the 25th February, 1933, at 11.30 a.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Board of Directors together with a Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1932.

The REGISTER OF SHARES of the Corporation will be CLOSED from MONDAY, the 13th February to SATURDAY, the 25th February, 1933, (both days inclusive), during which period no transfer of shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
V. M. GRAYBURN,
Chief Manager.

Hong Kong, 6th February, 1933.

CHINA ENTERTAINMENT & LAND INVESTMENT CO. LTD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the THIRD ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Registered Offices of the Company, King's Theatre Building, 5th floor, on MONDAY, the 27th day of February, 1933, at 12 o'clock Noon to receive the Directors' Report and Accounts for the year ended 31st December, 1932, to elect Auditors, and to transact such other business as may be properly transacted at an Ordinary General Meeting of the Company.

AND NOTICE is further hereby given that the Registered and TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 22nd to the 28th day of February 1933, both days inclusive.

LIANG CHI HAO,
Managing Director.

Hong Kong, 14th February 1933.

THE DAIRY FARM, ICE & COLD STORAGE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the THIRTY-SEVENTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be held at the Company's Town Office, 2 Lower Albert Road, on WEDNESDAY, 1st March, 1933, at 11 a.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with Statement of Accounts, declaring a Dividend and re-electing Directors and Auditors.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 18th February to 1st March, 1933 both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
J. D. THOMSON,
Secretary.

Hong Kong, 7th February, 1933.

THE HONG KONG & SHANGHAI HOTELS, LIMITED.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

that the Ordinary Yearly Meeting of Shareholders of The Hong Kong & Shanghai Hotels, Limited, will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, Exchange Building, Des Voeux Road Central, Hong Kong, on MONDAY, the 20th day of March, 1933, at 11.30 a.m. for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the Board of Directors for the year ended on the 31st December, 1932, and re-electing a Director and the Auditors.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from SATURDAY, the 4th March, 1933, until MONDAY, the 20th March, 1933, both days inclusive.

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Instead of forts in the old sense of the term, the French appear to be creating a fortified belt of country of considerable depth. It is virtually an elaboration of the trench system, providing an area which can be more ready for defence at very short notice.

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CINEMA NOTES

MAIL REVIEW

"PACK UP YOUR TROUBLES"—QUEEN'S THEATRE.

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MAIL REVIEW.

"HAT CHECK GIRL"—KING'S THEATRE.

Sparkling with nicely timed comedy moments and offering many thrills and surprises as the story unfolds "Hat Check Girl" with Sally Eilers and Ben Lyon is now showing at the King's Theatre.

"Hat Check Girl" is the story of a sophisticated and self-reliant check girl at a big New York night club and a millionaire playboy who falls in love with her. The romance is skilfully built up from a most unconventional beginning when the rich play boy, returning unexpectedly from an out-of-town trip, finds the girl asleep in his apartment.

Sally Eilers in the title role again captures the charm of her "Hat Girl." Ben Lyon in the featured role gives a sincere and convincing performance. Ginger Rogers supplies much of the comedy. Monroe Owsley, Arthur Pierson and Noel Madison are also in the cast.

MAIL REVIEW

"THIRTEEN WOMEN"—CENTRAL THEATRE.

Adapted from Tiffany Thayer's sensational novel, "Thirteen Women," is the current attraction at the Central Theatre. The production is an EKO Radio picture and was directed by George Archainbaud.

Strange society wrought in the lives of thirteen women forms the theme of this gripping drama. Evelyn Dumas, Ricardo Cortez, Jill Henson and Myrna Loy are the stars.

RADIO

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME.

The following programme will be broadcast to-day from the Hong Kong Broadcasting Station Z.B.W. on a wavelength of 355 metres (845 K.C.'s):—

5-5.5 p.m.—European programme.
5-5.59 p.m.—Orchestra.
A Midsummer Night's Dream—Overture (Mendelssohn).

Sir Henry J. Wood conducting the New Queen's Hall Orch. 9559-9560. Ma Mere L'Oye (Mother Goose) (Ravel).

Walter Damrosch conducting the New York Symphony Orch. 9517-9518. Entrance of the Little Fauns (Pierne).

Walter Damrosch conducting the New York Symphony Orch. 9518. 5.30-6.30 p.m.—

A relay of the Concert of German Vocal and Instrumental Music arranged by Mrs. R. Sanders from the Helms May Institute by courtesy of Mrs. R. Sanders & the Committee.

6.30-7.10 p.m.—Light Opera & Musical Comedy.
Selection—Bow Bells.
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Vocal Gems—
The Gypsy.
Columbia Light Opera Co. DX256.

Band—
The Desert Song—Selection.
Debroy Somers Band 9200.

Vocal Gems—
A Country Girl.
Columbia Light Opera Co. DX775.

Selection—
Cavalcade.
Debroy Somers Band DX305.

7.10-7.47 p.m.—Variety.
7.15 p.m.—(Closing Local Stock quotations, Selected London & New York Stock Quotations, etc.)

Humorous Duet—
All of a Sudden.
Chick Endor and Charlie Farrell DB922.

Piano Solo—
Now That You're Gone.
Carroll Gibbons and His Boy Friends DB805.

Vocal Duet—
Moon.
Layton & Johnstone DB985.

Violin Solo—
The Phantom Melody.
Albert Sandler 9863.

Vocal Duet—
We Just Couldn't Say Goodbye.
Chick Endor & Charlie Farrell DB922.

Piano Solo—
Can't We Talk It Over.
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8 p.m.—Local Time & Weather Report.

8.3-9.15 p.m.—Chinese Studio Concert.
9.15-9.45 p.m.—

A Relay of the Band of the 1st Battalion, South Wales Borderers, from the Officer's Mess, Murray Barracks, by courtesy of the Officer Commanding.

9.45-11 p.m.—Chinese Studio Concert.
11 p.m.—Rugby Mid-day Press News.

11.05 p.m.—Close Down.
All records in the above European programmes are kindly supplied by Messrs. Anderson Music Co.

The Studio programme between 5.30 & 7.15 p.m. may, on any day, be replaced by a relay from England, if reception of the latter happens to be good.

JUVENILE CONCERT

Pleasant Performance By M.C.L.

There was a large attendance at Volunteer Headquarters yesterday afternoon when the Ministering Children's League (Victoria Branch) presented a Juvenile Concert.

During the interval, Mrs. J. R. Wood, President of the Branch, thanked Lady Peel for her presence, Mrs. Shand for the musical part of the programme and Mrs. Strange for designing the costumes. Thanks were also extended to Miss Cotton for adding interest to the programme with the Quarry Bay School Percussion Band.

Following the concert, the play "Months of the Year" was charmingly acted. The following was the cast:—New Year, P. Brookbank; Old Year, E. Stone; Father Time, G. Stone; January, D. Deakin; February, M. Shand; March, B. Parkinson; April, P. Strange; May, R. Stalker; June and July, twins, B. Longbottom and J. Parkinson; August, V. Hollidge; September, A. Brookbank; October, M. Eccleshall; November, B. Penney; December, D. Watson.

The same concert will be repeated at the Cathedral Hall on February 18.

WEATHER FORECAST

Northeast winds, fresh and cloudy; the weather forecasted in to-day's report issued from the Royal Observatory.

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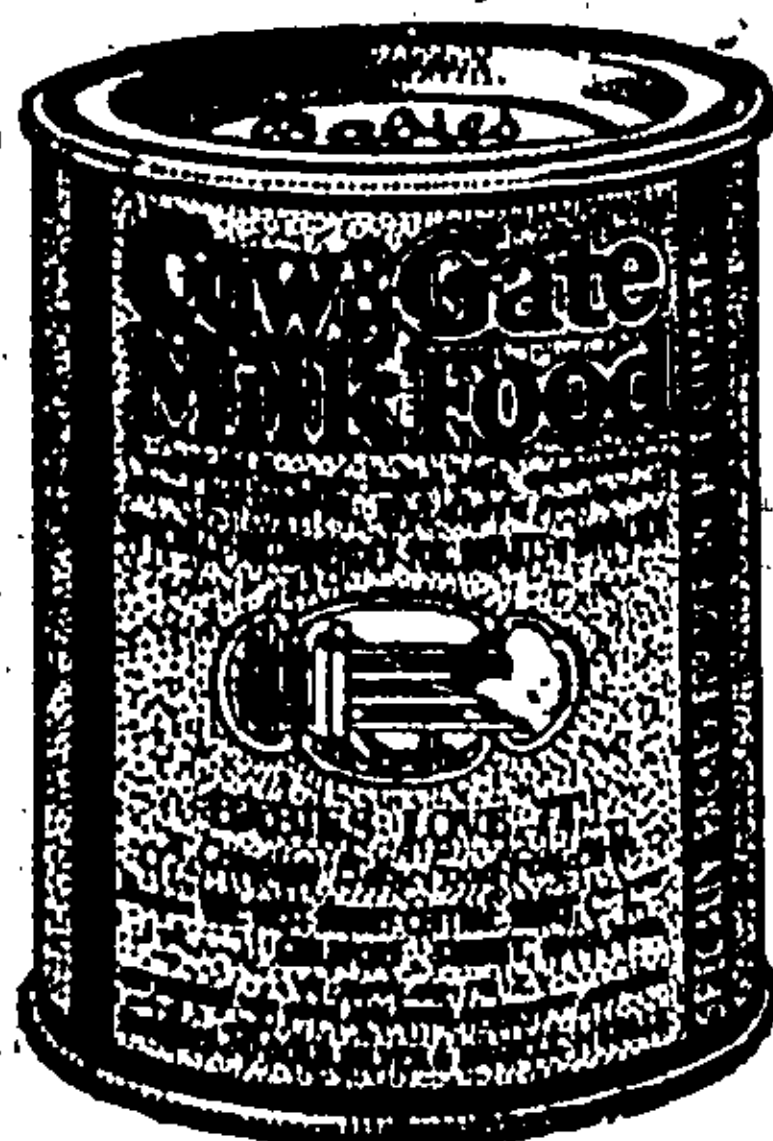
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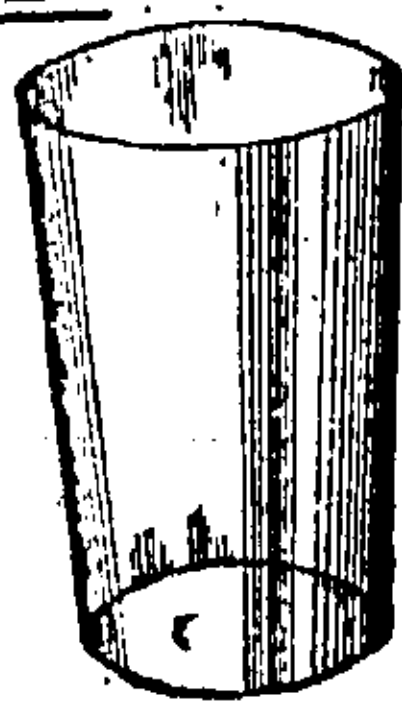
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Control Of Malaria.

There has lately been formed
at the London School of Hygiene
and Tropical Medicine a "Malaria
Unit"—the object being to ex-
tend knowledge about a disease
which, as a writer in the current
issue of the *Lancet* declared, still
presents one of the greatest prob-
lems in the world. Malaria, as
is well known, can be controlled
to some extent by attacks on the
mosquito which carries it; but
Sir Austen Chamberlain's recent
statement that there is probably
no less malaria in the world to-
day than there was before these
attacks began would not be easy
to disprove. For measures taken
against mosquitoes, though
effective in restricted areas, are
exceedingly difficult and costly,
and cannot in all probability be
applied on the great scale which
would be necessary if the com-
plete conquest of the disease was
to be achieved. In these cir-
cumstances it is not surprising
that interest has become centred
on the possibility of controlling
malaria by making human be-
ings proof against it. The or-
ganism which is the cause of
the disease is carried from man
to man by mosquitoes. Clearly,
then, if the human "soil" were
rendered even partially un-
suitable to those organisms the
chain of infection
would soon be broken. It was
hoped at one time to effect the
purpose of protecting people
against malaria by giving them
small daily doses of quinine, but
this method has not afforded
very good results. A number of
new preparations have in conse-
quence been tried, and already
some expectation of success has
been awakened. Thus, according
to the *Lancet*, the substance
known as plasmoquine is a true
prophylactic of malaria in the
respect that it exerts a specific
lethal action on the forms of the
causative organism which are
transmitted from man to man.
This substance has afforded pro-
tection to uninfected persons in
malarial districts. But it has
become clear that its use on an
extended scale must await fur-
ther and fuller study, for some
people appear to be over-sensitive
to its action. Work is now going
on to modify and adapt the pre-
paration so as to overcome the
difficulties which have attended
its use. If these efforts should
be successful, a very important
advance will have been made,
and the control of malaria will
have become a possibility if not
a certainty. In any case

the work on this and
other preparations reveals
the interdependence of the
branches of medicine and of
science. The attack on malaria
can no longer be made solely by
doctors. In that attack admin-
istrators, public health officers,
entomologists, and chemists
must in future co-operate. It is
upon the joint action of all these
that hope of success depends.

**Modesty As An Aid To
Business.**

The American Association of
Pools and Beaches, meeting in a
great convention to think about
pools and beaches, could yet
spare a thought for the textile
industry. Pondering the bath-
ing suit of to-day, the Associa-
tion has realized how little ma-
terial it uses up, and how the in-
creasing demand for sunlight is
resulting in a decreasing de-
mand for sunlight is resulting in
a decreasing demand for cloth.
The Association has accordingly
found much sense in a resolution
that backless and frontless one-
piece suits must go. This is
disinterested from those whose
stock-in-trade is the brine of the
ocean, although bathing has been
enjoyed greatly in the past by
people very fully clad. But it is
almost heroic from those whose
beaches are essentially sun-
beaches, and whose stock-in-
trade is sunlight, because it will
need advertising of the most ex-
tensive and expensive sort to
teach the American public to en-
joy bathing in the sun fully clad.
But heroic measures are called
for, if the present trend of fem-
inine fashion is not to bring our
civilization down. What is poi-
gnantly said of Ole Man River,
that he plants neither potatoes
nor cotton and is indifferent to
the fortunes of those who do, is
equally true of the woman who
first breaks the heart of the
farmer by her slight meals and
then the heart of the textile in-
dustry by her light choice in
exiguous garments. What in-
dustry calls for loudly is for
matrons of the old school. The
diffidence which makes women
think there can be too much of
them must be overcome, if the
primary producer is to prosper.
Cosmetics are an antidote to de-
pression, but powder makers will
greatly err if they try to extend
the sale of their product as a me-
dicine, the outward sign of in-
ward distress, and still less
should they join forces with the
drapers and represent powder as
a kind of veil. Their customers
are sensitive and the matter is
intimate. So that by far the
best policy would seem to be to
all the manufacturers interested
to concentrate upon making
men bigger. There is a great
deal to be said for size, and in
America it is said repeatedly
The canons that are accepted for

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Aerial Football Spectators.

At the recent football match
between the Universities of Cali-
fornia and Stanford over 200 air-
planes, bringing nearly 1,000
spectators, were parked behind the
touch-lines.

This is significant of the strides
which civil aviation is making in
the States. The largest number of
private airplanes seen together in
England, apart from ying meet-
ings, was at Mr. Norman Holden's
country home at Norton Priory in
Sussex. There, one Saturday last
summer, one counted eight Puss
Moths in the parking field. They
had brought parties of visitors who
had turned up casually for tea.

America's aerial football specta-
tors are a portent of the times.
The new stand at Highbury will
not be the last word in English
football innovations. Mr. Chap-
man may yet have to build an
Arsenal aerodrome.

Your Daily Smile.

MUCH TOO DULL.

"Tahiti is a wonderful place for
a vacation. The weather is always
glorious, and the food is simply
great."

"What a terrible hole! Nothing
whatever to talk about."

TOO WILLING.

"I have lost a \$10 bill. Has it
been brought here?"

"No, only a \$5 bill."

"Then I will take that on ac-
count."

THE SOLE TROUBLE.

"I don't like these shoes," said
the customer. "The soles are too
thick."

"Is that the only objection, mad-
am?" the clerk asked.

"Yes."

"Then, madam, if you take the
shoes I can assure you that the ob-
jection will gradually wear away."

HARD ON THE EARS.

"Did you hear anything of the
money you lent your neighbour?"

"Rather. He bought a radio with
the money."

ONE OR THE OTHER.

WIFE: John, I've found that
the woman next door has a coat
exactly the same as mine.

HUSBY: Well, my dear, I suppose
you'll want me to buy you a new
coat.

WIFE: Yes, it would be cheaper
than moving, wouldn't it?

**Facts You Did Not
Know.**

Steps cut into the bottom of a
new high speed boat built in Ger-
many for gliding over water hold
the craft level at all speeds, permit-
ting it to carry more than the usual
number of passengers.

According to a Carnegie Insti-
tution scientist the rate at which cer-
tain vital energy interchanges go on
in the human body varies with
different races, causing some to vir-
tually live faster than others.

The unusual brilliance of mosaics
covering the dome of a building
erected in Mexico City in 1586 has
been attributed by a German scien-
tist to the fact that rubber was
used in the colouring matter
employed.

Towed over fields by a tractor or
automobile, a machine invented by
a Nebraska man draws grass-
hoppers into a metal hopper where
they are ground into fragments and
expelled to serve as poultry feed or
fertiliser.

buildings and crowds should not
be difficult to attach to human
beings, and once immensity has
been brought into fashion there
will be plenty of trade for all.
The citizenesses of the Empire
and of the United States, can be
appealed to, to grow into some-
thing worthy of the greatest Em-
pire or the greatest Republic in
the world, and encouraged to
have their faces widened as well
as lifted. For it is big faces,
that need large packets of pow-
der, frequent intervals, and
stern discipline for the heavy
frames, which will wear
out the existing fittings of the
world, and in world which are the
features to own at the present
time.

**NATIONAL CABINET
OF HUMOUR
PUNCH CHANGES PILOTS
BUT HOLDS COURSE****"WHAT MAKES A JOKE"**

London. English humour," he said. "Irony,
in other words. Innuendo and veiled
suggestion are related devices.
American humour is quite the oppo-
site. It is apt to be characterised
by exaggeration, by the suppression
of some link in the chain of argu-
ment or narrative, and by a great
wealth of simile and metaphor.
English humour is more restrained.
One of our favourite devices is that
of bathos or anti-climax. The Eng-
lishman is rarely so far committed
to what he reads as to be unpre-
pared for a reaction; hence he is
always ready to find pleasure in the
shock of an unexpected descent
from the sublime to the ridiculous.
"Contrast is sometimes an effec-
tive device."

There was a time in Punch's office
when the careless caprice and the
wicked roving eye were enough,
when it was hardly material whe-
ther the sugar-coating of wit con-
cealed the pill of wisdom or not.
But that was in the bad old days
when Punch was mildly liberal or
even radical. The pranks and horse-
play of the past are wholly alien to
the classical mind of Sir Owen Sea-
man. He is as neat and logical as
Lewis Carroll. Under his rule Punch
has turned comfortably Tory and
wisdom has regained its lost pre-
dominance.

For twenty-six years Sir Owen
Seaman has played gently with the
humours of the English scene,
lightly pricking all kinds of pre-
tense, extravagance and vulgarity.
As a philosophic jester, he has done
his light verse with all possible care
that thought and expression should
harmonise.

But in the background there has
always been something more seri-
ous. There have been occasions
when he has risen into the rarer
ether of true poetry, and his knack
of rising to great moments of na-
tional mourning or rejoicing may
have given his serious verse a more
lasting fame than any of his lighter
work. Certainly, during the dark
days of the war, when for a mo-
ment it seemed as if there might
be no place for humour, his patriotic
(Continued on Page 11.)

News In Brief.

Colonel W. J. McElhinny and
Capt. and Mrs. F. N. Booth and
infant, left the Colony for London
aboard the liner Antenor yester-
day.

Capt. and Mrs. Henderson and
family, were among the passengers
who sailed for England aboard the
Blue Funnel liner Antenor which
left yesterday.

Six cases of small-pox (five
occurring in Hong Kong and one
in Kowloon) and one case of
meningitis were notified to the
Health Authorities on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Owen and
Mr. and Mrs. C. W. M. Crothers
were also passengers aboard the
liner Antenor, which sailed for
London, via Singapore and ports,
yesterday.

During the month of January, 15
dogs were admitted to the Dogs'
Home, Waterloo Road, according to
the monthly report of the Hong
Kong Society for the Prevention of
Cruelty to Animals, which states,
"The activities of the Dogs' Home
continue to be maintained."

Mr. B. Paul will speak on "The
Book of the Dead" at the usual
weekly public lecture of the Hong
Kong Lodge, The Theosophical So-
ciety, 17, Queen's Road Central,
to-day at 6 p.m. The lecture will
be illustrated by paintings copied
from the British Museum.

WARDER IN ACCIDENT

Warder Stevens, attached to
Victoria Gaol, has reported to the
Police that while driving his car in
Queen's Road West, near Water
Street yesterday, he knocked down
an elderly Chinese male.
The injured man, Leung Yek, 72,
was sent to the Government Civil
Hospital suffering from injuries to
the right foot and kneecap.

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FINE HALF BACK TRIO

Medway Draw And Lose In Their
Two Games

The Hong Kong Hockey Club first eleven defeated the Hong Kong Singapore Brigade, R.A., by 6 goals to 3, on the Marina ground, in a scrappy friendly match yesterday.

E. S. Moses, of the second team, appeared in goal, and played a great game. He stopped many shots that were certain goals.

H. Owen-Hughes was absent from the Club team, his place on the right wing being taken by J. L. Tetley.

The Club commenced play with only nine men, C. C. Francis and Tetley completing the eleven a few minutes later. The Club were early pressing, good combination being displayed by Divett and Williams. The Club, however, found difficulty in getting a good foothold on the sand ground, while most of the Indians, playing with bare feet (as is usual) held a distinct advantage.

The Indians scored first through Nur Mohammed, Divett equalising for the Club. Going in on his own, Williams gave the Club the lead with a rising shot that completely deceived the goalkeeper. The Indians attacked, but the Club half back line, Reed, Love and Noronha were a hard working trio. From a corner Nur Mohammed equalised. A. T. Lay was responsible for some good centres from the left.

Early in the second half, Divett found the net, and a little later put the Club further ahead with a neat scoop shot.

In a breakaway, Dost Mohammed decreased the lead after Moses had cleared well. The Club maintained pressure, but outside play prevented many fine chances. Francis netted the fifth goal, and before the end Divett added another.

The Indians were well served by their backs who worked hard. Club:—E. S. Moses; J. Rodger, E. V. Reed, W. Reed, H. J. D. Love, J. E. Noronha; J. L. Tetley, W. E. Williams, G. E. R. Divett, C. C. Francis and A. T. Lay.

MEDWAY "A" LOSE.

On the home ground yesterday the University defeated the Medway "A" eleven by two goals to nil, in a friendly match.

R.A.S.C. DRAW WITH MEDWAY.

At Sookunpoo yesterday afternoon, the Medway played a drawn game of one goal-all with the Royal Army Service Corps.

The Medway fielded only ten men, Tam, on the right wing being an absentee.

Lewis, at centre-forward, netted for the Medway, while the R.A.S.C. obtained their goal through their inside right.

Y.M.C.A. TEAM TO-DAY.

The following will represent the Y.M.C.A. second eleven against the R.A.S.C. in a friendly hockey match at King's Park to-day at 5.10 p.m.:

J. Shields; E. F. Selk, L. W. Tiplie; F. W. R. Allen, H. J. D. Lowe, R. A. Bates; W. Stoker, S. Fowler, G. H. Fowler, F. E. W. Lammert, R. Baldwin.

Saints Taking Mixed
Team To Macao.

The St. Andrew's Club Hockey team is paying a visit to Macao on Sunday February 26. Tennis will also be played in the Portuguese Colony.

The following is the programme of the visit, though the composition of the team has not yet been decided upon:

Sunday 9 a.m.—Leave Hong Kong
1 p.m.—Arrive Macao
1.15 p.m.—Men's Hockey
2.30 p.m.—Ladies' Hockey
4 p.m.—Tennis
Monday 8 a.m.—Leave Macao
7 a.m.—Arrive Hong Kong.

A player must be able to kick, pass and dribble, whether he plays inside or outside the scrum. These three qualifications are essential for any one aspiring to be some-thing more than an average Rugby footballer.—W. J. A. Davies.

GOSSIP IN SPORTS WORLD

German Racing To Exclude British Support:
Fast Bowling Accidents: £50 For Sixes.

By ROVER

Cambridge Athletics.

A LEC NELSON, the Cambridge Athletic coach, may for once in a way have all his work cut out to produce a winning team to take to the White City on March 18. Still, as Oxford have not won the full sports since 1925 and have only claimed three victories since the war it certainly is their turn to win. Nelson must be wondering whether he can produce anybody to beat N. P. Hollowell, J. E. Lovelock, and C. J. Mabey in the half-mile, one mile, or three miles, and he is not likely to find one to beat W. L. Lang in the quarter. The hundred and high hurdles should be safe for Cambridge, but it is doubtful if J. St. L. Thornton will repeat his hurdles double this year with the Oxonian, C. F. Stanwood, to run in the low hurdles.

Cup for the North?

AFTER the Walsall-Arsenal result it is more dangerous than ever to prophesy of English Cup football; but even the most enthusiastic Southerner cannot see more than three clubs south of the Midlands qualifying for the last eight of this season's competition. Few would care to offer odds against Leeds United. The Yorkshiremen are not a brilliant combination. I do not consider them in the same class as the Villa and Everton. But they possess the fighting qualities and enthusiasm essential to Cup success. The nearer they get to Wembley, the harder they will be to master.

Carnara Pays Double.

THE bulk which Primo Carnara uses to advantage against opponents in the boxing ring proved expensive to him when he arranged an airplane trip to New York.

He found it impossible to squeeze into a single seat in the passenger airplane, so he was given the space ordinarily occupied by two persons—and had to pay a double fare.

All-German Racing.

THE Hitlerites intend to reform horse-racing in Prussia and place it on a strictly national basis.

They want foreign trainers and jockeys out of the way and have prepared a motion for submission to the Prussian Diet, providing for a "house-cleaning." They claim that the leading positions on the racecourses are filled by English, American, Swedish and Hungarian trainers and jockeys to the exclusion of Germans. Their proposal would close German courses to foreigners altogether.

There are six racecourses in and around Berlin, two devoted to trotting and the others to flat and steeplechase racing.

Cricket Accidents.

THERE have been few cases of serious injury caused by fast bowlers in recent years. E. Tyldesley, of Lancashire, was hit in the face in the Test Match between England and Australia at Nottingham in 1921 by J. M. Gregory, who with E. A. Macdonald practised a more dangerous method of what has been termed "body-line" bowling than Larwood's.

It is a curious reflection on our differing mentalities that, whereas now the Australian public is hostile to our bowlers, in 1921 we were disposed to blame some of our batsmen for not standing up to Gregory and Macdonald.

Larwood's Bad Luck.

H. B. CAMERON, when batting for South Africa against England at Lord's in 1929, was carried off unconscious after being hit by Larwood, who has, in fact, had uncommonly bad luck with wicket-keepers when they were batting. Cameron "lost" the ball on that occasion in falling light. Hendren also has been hit in trying to hook a ball from Larwood.

The injuries to W. M. Woodfull and W. A. Oldfield which have caused such a stir in Adelaide seem to have been no more than two unfortunate accidents. Woodfull was hit by a ball described as of good length which rose to an unnatural height. Oldfield would seem to have made a poor stroke in which the ball was deflected from his bat to his head. In neither case should the circumstances cause us to doubt the justification of Larwood's methods.

A Golf Test.

IF IT proves possible to arrange the suggested golf "test match" between the Argentine professionals, who are visiting England for the Open Championship, and a British professional team, the match will be by no means a certainty for the British golfers. Four of the Argentine six were in Britain for the Open at Carnoustie two years ago, which was a veritable "Battle of the Nations." Three of them, Jurado, Churio and Genta, finished second, eighth and twelfth respectively, though the fourth man, Freccero, was well down the list.

The Scottish-Americans, Armour, Macdonald Smith and Willie Hunter, took first, fifth and seventh places. The home-bred Americans, Sarazen, Farrell and Horton Smith, were third, sixth and fourteenth. The three top players of that year's British Ryder Cup team could only claim seventh, tenth and thirteenth places. On that showing the Argentine players are as strong as anybody.

Ice-Hockey Blues.

THE first match of the Canadian Ice Hockey team's tour against England at Oxford, in which the visitors just won by the odd goal, suggests that as six of the England side were Oxford undergraduates they must start as favourites against Cambridge in the inter-University contest.

Oxford's captain, H. C. Little, who keeps goal, is also the University lacrosse goalkeeper, and is in the running for the same position at hockey. If he succeeds in getting his Blue for the Beckenham match he will have represented his University at three different games in a year.

The Blues Committee decided against awarding a half Blue for ice hockey last year by one vote. The question is to be brought up again in the near future and I should not be surprised to hear that the game has been recognised in the same way as lawn tennis.

Cricket Prizes.

A business firm to the players in the Adelaide Test match who could hit 6's is no novelty in Australian cricket. As in the case of R. E. S. Wyatt, whose three hits over the fence were valued at £50, the England players have never been allowed to accept them, but the Australians do.

In the Melbourne Test of 1921 one firm offered a pound a run for every run over a hundred scored by any of their men, and promptly Jack Gregory rose to the occasion and reached three figures. Unfortunately Gregory got out when exactly 100, so the prize remained unclaimed.

This pounding at the body throughout an innings, when men who are played as bowlers have to face high rising balls directed on the body for catches to leg fielders, has, to my mind, nothing to recommend it, because sooner or later an opponent will be badly hurt.—A. C. MacLaren.

HOME FOOTBALL FORECAST FOR
SATURDAY'S GAMES.

ENGLISH CUP—Fifth Round
BOLTON v Manchester City
BRIGHTON v West Ham
BURNLEY v Chesterfield
SUNDERLAND v Blackpool
DERBY v Aldershot
HULLFC v LUTON
Middlesbrough v Birmingham
EVERTON v Leeds
SCOTTISH CUP—Third Round
HEARTS v St. Johnstone
DUNDEE v Partick
MOTHERWELL v Dundee
Kilmarnock v Rangers
FIRST DIVISION
ASTON VILLA (2) v Huddersfield (2)
LIVERPOOL (3) v Leicester (2)
NEWCASTLE (5) v Sheffield (2)
Wolves (2) v West Brom. (2)
CELTIC SECOND DIVISION
BRADFORD (2) v Millwall (2)
CHARLTON (2) v Plymouth (2)
FULHAM (2) v Bury (2)
GRIMSBY (2) v Oldham (2)
NOTTS F. (2) v Notts C. (2)
STOKES (2) v Bradford (2)
SWANSEA (2) v Port Vale (2)
TOTTENHAM (2) v Preston (2)

CLUB RUGBY TEAM
AGAINST BANK.Turner On Reserve
List.

The following have been selected to represent the Hong Kong Rugby Club against the Hong Kong and Shanghai Bank on the Club ground, Happy Valley, kicking off at 4.15 p.m.:

A. F. Jenkins; J. J. Ferguson, N. M. Macintosh, R. H. Griffiths, G. P. Lammert; J. H. McElney and Dr. J. A. R. Solby (Captain); D. McEllean, S. H. Garrod, C. Austin, Miller, A. K. Munro, W. E. Peers, R. F. Wallden and A. P. Hall-Thompson.

Reserves:—M. W. Turner and A. W. Torrible.

The Bank team, which was exclusively published in the China Mail on Tuesday is as follows:
A. D. Lowson; R. H. D. Wade, W. H. E. Rigg, S. J. H. Fox, B. C. Allan; M. W. Turner, L. G. Robertson; G. C. Moutrie, R. Stillard, I. H. Bradford, F. R. Burch, F. H. King, R. A. Jardine, C. H. Pickford and D. A. Cumming.

GOLF STRATEGY
OR CHEATINGDeliberate Missing In
Mixed Foursomes.

London, Feb. 7.
An overseas visitor to English golf courses has started an amusing controversy. When playing in a mixed foursome, his partner was faced with a perilous drive from the tee, with forbidding rough country on both sides, penalising anything but the perfect shot. The traveller advised the girl to deliberately miss the ball and let him negotiate the drive. She complied and the strategy ensured their subsequent victory, though they sacrificed a stroke, but in the subsequent discussion at the nineteenth hole there was some very plain talk, and it was asked if a deliberate miss was playing fair.

Mrs. Gascoigne Harrison, who played for England for eighteen years, beginning in 1893, was Yorkshire champion for four years, and semi-finalist in the open championship in 1896, asks:—"May I ask why should such a terrible discussion on the subject of cheating at golf arise? Missing a stroke on the tee or anywhere else is nothing else but cheating. Personally, I cannot understand either sex playing such a low-down and unsporting trick. In my day, such thoughts would never have entered our heads."

"Golf Illustrated" devotes a leading article to the question, and comes down on the side of the fence which holds that the deliberate miss is fair strategy, and that it is nothing more than playing intelligently. It may not be golf, but it is cricket.

The first question properly to be asked is what constitutes a foursome—not what constitutes a stroke. "In a foursome," according to the rules, "the partners shall strike off alternately from the teeing-grounds." The penalty for failure, is not the loss of a stroke, but the loss of the hole.

Again, Rule 5 says:—"The ball must be fairly struck at" and the penalty for a breach of this Rule shall be the loss of the hole.—Reuter.

CLUB RUGBY TEAM
AT RUGBY.Huge Score Features
Game At Valley.

ROBERTSON'S RETURN.

H.M.S. Berwick were easily defeated by the Club "A" fifteen by three goals, a penalty goal, and two tries (24 points) to a goal (5 points) after being 19 points down at the interval yesterday at the Club ground.

The Berwick team were weak all round, although their forwards were the heavier pack.

The Club had in Allan, a newcomer to the side, an excellent inside, who gathered, passed and ran exceedingly well. He scored a very good try.

Allan (2), Harris-Walker, Robertson and McElney scored tries; Garrod McElney and Robertson each kicked goals; and Robertson kicked a penalty goal.

Richards scored for the Berwick and Master converted the effort.

Club "A":—S. J. H. Fox; A. H. Harbord, B. C. Allan, A. D. Lowson, Harris-Walker; A. F. Jenkins, L. G. Robertson; S. H. Garrod, J. H. McElney, R. L. Stillard, N. M. Cochrane, F. R. Burch; A. K. Munro, C. Austin, D. A. Cumming, R. M. S. Berwick; Thomas; Richards, Carp, Hobbs, Hooper, Mufford, Jones, Jeffries, Dumbleton, Gumbleton, Master, Crowan, Martell, Lieut. Phibbs and Pascoe.

CORNFLOWER
LOSES TO THE
TAMAR 2-0China Fleet Junior
Soccer Tourney.

In the Final Round of the Second Division of the China Fleet Football Competition, the Tamar defeated the Cornflower by two goals to nil on Sunday last on the Club ground.

The Tamar were more aggressive, but the Cornflower possessed an excellent defence. Half way through the first period, the Tamar took the lead through Chappell, who netted with a very good drive.

The Cornflower retaliated immediately, but were repulsed, the Tamar netting their second goal through Warner, the Navy right winger, who rushed into the goal-mouth to convert a centre from the left wing.

The following is the final standing of the two teams:

	P	W	L	D	F	A	Pts.
Tamar	8	7	0	1	23	4	15
Cornflower	8	6	1	1	30	16	18

NAVY SOCCER TEAMS
FOR SATURDAY.League Encounters
Against The Artillery.

The following will represent the Navy in the First and Second Division games against the Artillery on Saturday:

First Eleven:—Treadwell (Berwick); James (Berwick) and Edmonds (Gawald); Derry (capt.) (Cornwall); Shiras (Hermes); and Thomas (Berwick); Warner (Tamar), Usher (Veteran); Langmead (Berwick); Cleary (Hermes) and McPhee (Kippell).

Reserve:—Glass (Medway).

Second Eleven:—Sinden (Proteus); Buchanan (Pandora) and Newman (Kippell); Martin (Stonecutters); Blair (capt.) (Olympus) and Farington (Cornwall); Paylee (Hermes); Barrett (Hermes); Murrell (Wishart); Syer (Medway) and Parsons (Cornwall).

Reserves:—Elgoy (Medway), Rawson (R. N. Hospital), Ashman (Hermes).

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Sports Diary.

TO-DAY

Lawn Tennis—Open Singles
M. W. Lo v L. C. Earnshaw
Yew Man-Kit v Tam Yee-long

Meetings
Hong Kong Football Association Council 5.30 p.m.

TO-MORROW

Completion of second round of Ross Cup competition.
Hockey—Friendly Matches
Hong Kong Hockey Club "A" v German Club

Lawn Tennis—Open Singles
Lo Hui-ak v Ho Ka-tun or Tam Yee-long
Yew Man-Kit v M. W. Lo or L. C. Earnshaw

SPORT PAGE

LEAGUE SOCCER ON SATURDAY

NAVY MAY EXTEND LEADERS.

Three Good Newcomers In Side.

CLUB SHOULD BEAT KOWLOON.

EIGHT First Division teams will be engaged in a battle for League points on Saturday and Sunday, when altogether 14 games will be down for decision.

On Sunday, the Navy are meeting the League leaders, in the Artillery. The Navy team is a very formidable one, and, judging from the names of the players, the Artillery will be fully extended in order to keep their leadership.

The Navy, with Shirras making a welcome return to the centre half position, Thomas of the Berwick, a Devonshire County player at left half, instead of Goodrich, and Langmead as the leader of the forwards, should win comfortably.

In Langmead, Pardoe, the Artillery skipper and interport captain will be meeting a first-class player, whose ball control and all round ability will give him his hardest test to date.

Kowloon who play the Club on Saturday have improved a good deal in the last two months, but I doubt whether their defence is strong enough to hold the fast moving Club forwards.

In the past the Artillery second eleven have fared well at Kowloon, but they are not likely to escape lightly on Saturday afternoon.

In the Junior Shield Competition, the South China "A" will be opposed to the Lincolns at Caroline Hill on Saturday. This game, which is the replay of their game last Saturday, when both teams drew 1-1 at Chatham Road, should provide for some excellent football. This time the odds are with the Chinese who will be playing at home.

Four Second Division and five Third Division games are scheduled for Saturday, the First Division game between the Borderers and St. Joseph's being postponed, and two other games in the Second Division, the Club, St. Joseph's and the Lincolns—S. China games also being postponed.

The following is the programme for Saturday and Sunday with the results of former league games this season given in brackets:—

Saturday.

FIRST DIVISION

Lincolns	(3) v. Recreo	(0)
Kowloon	(0) v. Club	(3)

SECOND DIVISION

Eastern	(0) v. Taung Tain	(2)
Navy	(2) v. Artillery	(1)
Borderers	(3) v. Kowloon	(0)
Ewo	(-) v. Athletic	(-)

THIRD DIVISION

University	(1) v. St. Joseph's	(8)
Borderers	(3) v. R. A. F.	(3)
Taiko	(0) v. Lincolns	(5)
Radio	(1) v. Athletic	(2)

JUNIOR SHIELD REPLAY

S. China "A"	v. Lincolns	(Caroline Hill, 4.15 p.m.)
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Sunday.

FIRST DIVISION

Police	(-) v. S. China	(-)
Artillery	(3) v. Navy	(1)

THIRD DIVISION

Signals	(5) v. R.E.	(2)
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FINAL TEST MATCH AVERAGES

BATTING AVERAGES

	Inns	Runs	H.S.	N.O.	Ave.
Paynter (England)	4	175	83	2	87.50
Sutcliffe (England)	4	384	194	1	96.00
D. G. Bradman (Australia)	6	277	103	1	46.16
S. J. McCabe (Australia)	8	308	187	1	44.00
Nawab of Patand (England)	3	122	102	0	40.66
Hammond (England)	7	264	112	0	37.71
Leyland (England)	7	264	86	0	37.71
Verity (England)	4	110	45	1	36.66
R. E. S. Wyatt (England)	7	215	78	1	35.83
W. H. Richardson (Australia)	8	279	83	0	34.87
W. H. Woodfull (Australia)	8	224	73	1	32.00
L. Darling (Australia)	2	56	39	0	28.00
J. H. Fingleton (Australia)	6	151	83	0	25.16
W. H. Ponsford (Australia)	6	141	83	0	23.50
D. R. Jardine (England)	7	157	56	0	22.44
L. E. Nagel (Australia)	2	21	21	1	21.00
G. O. Allen (England)	6	115	30	0	19.16
A. E. Stoddart (England)	7	109	69	1	18.16
H. Bromley (Australia)	2	33	25	0	16.50
W. A. Oldfield (Australia)	5	65	41	1	16.25
A. F. Kippax (Australia)	2	27	19	0	13.50
L. P. O'Brien (Australia)	2	21	11	0	10.50
Carwood (England)	6	47	23	1	9.40
C. V. Grimmett (Australia)	6	42	19	0	7.00
T. Wall (Australia)	8	42	20	1	6.00
W. J. O'Reilly (Australia)	8	41	15	1	5.88
Voce (England)	6	22	8	1	5.50
H. S. Love (Australia)	6	8	5	0	4.00
H. Ironmonger (Australia)	6	12	8	2	3.00
Mitchell (England)	2	4	0	0	2.00
Bower (England)	2	4	0	2	2.00

* denotes not out. † denotes wicket-keeper.

BOWLING AVERAGES

	O.	M.	R.	W.	Ave.
Larwood (England)	177	31	502	28	17.92
Mitchell (England)	21	5	60	3	24.00
H. Ironmonger (Australia)	188	71	307	13	23.61
Voce (England)	96.3	20	293	12	24.41
G. O. Allen (England)	127.2	26	391	15	24.43
W. J. O'Reilly (Australia)	323.4	131	592	24	24.65
T. Wall (Australia)	170	33	409	18	25.56
Hammond (England)	99.5	24	237	9	26.83
D. G. Bradman (Australia)	11	3	40	0	40.00
L. E. Nagel (Australia)	75.5	14	178	3	53.33
Verity (England)	99	42	176	3	58.66
C. V. Grimmett (Australia)	147	42	328	5	65.60
Bower (England)	23	2	70	1	70.00
A. F. Kippax (Australia)	2	1	3	0	—
H. Bromley (Australia)	10	4	19	0	—
L. Darling (Australia)	2	0	4	0	—

BEST PARTNERSHIPS

1st wicket: 188—W. M. Woodfull and V. Y. Richardson at Brisbane.
2nd wicket: 188—Sutcliffe and Hammond at Sydney.
3rd wicket: 123—Sutcliffe and Nawab of Patand at Sydney.
4th wicket: 64—J. H. Fingleton and S. J. McCabe at Melbourne.
5th wicket: 154—Leyland and R. E. S. Wyatt at Adelaide.
6th wicket: 65—W. H. Ponsford and W. A. Oldfield at Adelaide.
7th wicket: 38—Ames and Verity at Adelaide.
8th wicket: 35—Paynter and Verity at Adelaide.
9th wicket: 35—Paynter and Verity at Adelaide.
10th wicket: 35—Paynter and Verity at Adelaide.



Paynter, who was suffering from tonsillitis, and Verity added 22 runs for England's ninth wicket at Brisbane on Tuesday. The pair put on 96 runs for the eighth wicket at Adelaide. Paynter is the Red Rose county representative and Verity the White Rose.

THE FOUR TEST MATCHES SUMMARISED.

First Test at Sydney—England won by 10 wickets.

Australia: 360 (McCabe 187 not out, Larwood 5 for 96).

England: 164 (Fingleton 40, Larwood 5 for 28).

England: 324 (Sutcliffe 194, Hammond 112, Patand 102).

1 for no wicket.

Second Test at Melbourne—Australia won by 111 runs.

Australia: 228 (Fingleton 83, 191 (Bradman 103 not out)).

England: 162 (Sutcliffe 52, O'Reilly 5 for 63).

England: 139 (Sutcliffe 38, O'Reilly 5 for 66).

Third Test at Adelaide—England won by 338 runs.

England: 341 (Leyland 83, Wyatt 78, Paynter 77, Wall 5 for 72).

Australia: 412 (Hammond 85, Ames 69, Jardine 56).

Australia: 222 (Ponsford 85).

England: 193 (Woodfull 73 not out, Bradman 69).

Fourth Test at Brisbane—England won by 6 wickets.

Australia: 346 (Richardson 83, Bradman 76, Woodfull 67).

England: 175 (Darling 39, Richardson 32).

England: 356 (Sutcliffe 80, Paynter 83).

Australia: 183 for 4 (Leyland 80).

In the last M.C.C. tour in Australia—in the 1928-9 season—Percy Chapman led his side to victory in four of the five tests, losing the final match at Melbourne by 5 wickets. In the previous tour A. E. R. Gilligan's team lost four of the five games in the series.

Other English captains to win in Australia have been "Johnny" Wainwright (1911-12), "Plum" Warner (1903-4) and A. E. Stoddart 1894-5).

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Poor Tennis Seen At H.K.C.C.

Cassumbhoy And Wright in Listless Game.

C. A. WRIGHT disappointed badly yesterday when he gave a listless display against J. A. E. Cassumbhoy to whom he lost by 6-2, 6-2. It was a dull game throughout with both players in careless mood.

The tennis yesterday was well below the standard of the opening days, no match producing exciting play.

The following were the detailed results:—

Open Singles.

J. A. E. Cassumbhoy beat C. A. Wright 6-2, 6-2.

D. S. Green beat A. J. Stocker 6-2, 6-4.

D. C. Dunham scratched against J. A. E. Cassumbhoy in the third set.

Open Doubles.

H. Owen Hughes and G. W. Sewell beat Luk Chun-cheong and Wong Shiu-wing 6-1, 6-4.

Wong Fuk-nam and Ho Hin-kwan beat L. T. Ride and T. A. Pearce 9-7, 6-1.

Club Championship.

M. H. F. Waring received a w.o. from J. J. Barrow.

R. M. Henderson beat T. C. Monaghan 6-3, 6-4.

TO-DAY'S TENNIS.

1929 Champion Opposed To Earnshaw.

TAM TO MEET YEW.

There are only two games down for decision this afternoon, the most interesting of which will be between Yew Man-kit, one of the leading C.R.C. players, and Tam Yoc-fong, the Hanoi champion. Tam's debut game against C. E. Abbas in the First Round gave very little indication of his true worth, and I should not be at all surprised if he beat Yew in straight sets.

Though Yew is an interport player he is essentially a doubles player, being too slow on the court for an agile singles opponent. Steadiness may, however, win the day, though I shall be surprised if Tam loses.

M. W. Lo, Colony champion in 1929, will meet L. C. Earnshaw in their postponed game. I have seen him watching the games at the H.K.C.C. during the week and I am glad to say he is looking much better than on the day he should have played Earnshaw. The latter on that occasion asked for a postponement.

Lo should win comfortably as he is by no means the back-number as suggested by "Ex-Interporter" in Monday's China Mail.

Football is not progressing. It has been resting on its oars for a good many years with the inevitable result that it is drifting with the current down to the waterfalls of oblivion.—Harry Rennie.

BARROW SECURE TWO VALUABLE POINTS

Darlington Lose By Odd Goal At Home.

London, To-day.

Barrow jumped to fourth place in the Third Division (North) soccer championship yesterday when they secured both points at Darlington by the odd goal in three.

Darlington are now on level terms with New Brighton at the foot of the table.—Reuter.

Clifford Sutter Adds Another Tennis Win to Long List

Miami Beach, Fla. Feb. 5.

Clifford Sutter, of New Orleans, America's third ranking tennis star defeated George Lott, of Chicago, here to-day 6-4, 7-5, 8-6, 6-2, to capture the singles championship of the Pan-American tournament.

Lott and Richard Covington, of Asheville, N. C., beat Sutter and Bryan Grant, of Atlanta, 6-4, 6-3 for the doubles title, the match, by agreement being decided by two out of three sets.

Sutter outranked in the latest tennis listings only by Ellsworth Vines, the American and Wimbledon champion, and Wilmer Allison, member of the Davis Cup team, played a brilliant trial last year, eliminated by a battle against Vines.

The decision between him and Allison for second rating was also but Allison beat Vines twice in winter tournaments and then won up a string of Davis Cup victories until he was ranked by the British and Colonial tour as the second player.

Clifford Sutter, 27, is a former champion of the Davis Cup, and was defeated by a battle against Vines.

FOLEY WINS TITLE FROM JUDGE

IN-FIGHTING ABILITIES PAVE THE WAY

JUDGE HANDICAPPED BY OPPONENT'S REACH

LONG BREAKS WRIST

FRAGGOTT'S AUSPICIOUS DEBUT IN THE MIDDLEWEIGHTS.

(By Ringsider).

A. B. Foley fully deserved to win the Colony Heavyweight Boxing Championship at the Lee Theatre last night when he was awarded a points decision over A. B. Judge, champion of the China Fleet. Foley's height and reach proved the determining factors, Judge being unable to do anything else than play into the newcomer's hands by adopting in-fighting methods.

Judge fought a plucky battle, taking heavy punishment in almost every round except the eighth when he had Foley reeling with two swings that by their rapidity caught the champion unawares.

The Tournament, the first to be staged by the Hong Kong Boxing Association, was quite the best witnessed in the Colony during the last five years, and it was disappointing that many more did not support the enterprising programme.

A. B. Foley fully justified the confidence placed in him when he decisively beat A. B. Judge on points over fifteen rounds for the Colony Heavyweight Championship and the Belt, presented by members of the Hong Kong Police Force, at the Lee Theatre last night.

He has not been allowed to rest on his laurels as A. B. Shreeve has challenged him for his title. Shreeve was unfortunate to have his bout with A. B. Long terminated in the second round when his opponent had the misfortune to break his wrist. Dr. F. Bunje attended to Long and placed the injured limb in splints. It was a disappointing conclusion to what promised to be the best fight of the evening.

A. B. Fraggott's debut was most impressive, and in him we have the new Colony middleweight champion. To A. B. Christie, however, must go praise for the plucky display he gave.

FOLEY weighed in at 185 lb for the championship fight while Judge conceded three lbs in addition to about four inches in reach and height. Foley had the slight advantage of choice of gloves.

When the two men met Mr. H. G. Sheldon, who refereed the bout, it was clearly seen that Foley by his height and reach would be able to force Judge to employ tactics best suited to his purpose, and, bearing in mind Foley's very fine record, I was almost certain the fight would not go beyond the seventh round.

At the close of the first round Judge's left eye had been cut, and in the second round the right suffered the same fate as the result of crushing left and right blows. Judge, however, covered up his injuries in brilliant style, though they handicapped him immensely. His desire to come to close quarters was obvious after the second round, and try as he did Foley was unable to stop him.

Foley, master of the in-fighting game, was clearly the better man, his blows being far more powerful than Judge's. His opponent, however, came for more in each successive round, and it was Foley's inability to hold him off that allowed the fight to go the full distance.

In the third round Foley shook his man with lefts and rights and had Judge breathing hard at the going. Judge came back in the fourth and landed two swings, which, however, brought a smile on Foley's face, and the bigger man finished by the round as if he were in the gymnasium with a punch bag.

Foley's slowness in holding Judge off was magnified in that fifth round when Judge became the aggressor. This was the most error of the entire fight.

The sixth round saw Foley open up the fight with left and right blows which Judge was unable to parry. The heavy man was warned.

When I saw Foley before the fight he said, "I will win easily." He did, but there were times when he sadly disappointed. He did not possess the defence of Judge who was handicapped by his opponent's much longer reach.

A. B. Shreeve, of whom I saw enough to convince me that he is a first-rater, will encounter the same difficulty as Judge did when he meets Foley for the title. His powerful two-fisted attack which is far quicker and more powerful than Judge's may, however, cause the champion some anxiety.

The Hon. Mr. E. D. C. Wolfe, the Inspector General of Police, placed the belt round Foley at the conclusion of the fight, the decision of which brought rousing cheers from the gallery.



The New Colony Heavyweight Champion.

THE RESULTS

The following were the results of last night's fights:

Tel. Johnson (H.M.S. Berwick) 128 lb beat Mne. Clayton (H.M.S. Tamar) 127½ lb on points.

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*KIDDERPORE	5,300	13th Mar.	Straits, Colombo & Bombay.
COMORIN	15,000	25th Mar.	Marseilles & London.
†BANGALORE	6,100	1st Apr.	Marseilles, Havre, London, Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
RANPURA	17,000	8th Apr.	Marseilles & London.
CHITRAL	15,000	22nd Apr.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
RANCHI	17,000	6th May	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
CARTHAGE	14,000	20th May	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
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NELLORE	7,000	2nd May	

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Cable Ship Rescues A
British Crew.

Kingston (Jamaica).
The captain of the wrecked British steamer Newbrough, and the thirty members of the crew, were rescued after several hours of gallant work by the British cable ship, Norseman.

The Newbrough struck a reef on January 21 near Morant Cay, sixty miles from Kingston, and sent out an S.O.S. for help. Her engine-room was badly flooded.

Heavy seas pounded over the reefs and against the sides of the helpless Newbrough as man after man of her crew was transferred to the Norseman with the aid of a breeches buoy.

The captain of the Newbrough was the last man to leave the wrecked ship.

The Norseman proceeded at once to Kingston and landed the Newbrough's captain and crew.

It was on Christmas Eve that an S.O.S. was flashed out by the Newbrough asking that any ship in her vicinity should proceed at once to her assistance (says a B.U.P. message). Her engine-room was awash with water, and her situation seemed threatening.

Then came a wireless message that the American liner President McKinley was standing by.

It was the cable ship Norseman, however, that eventually effected the rescue.

The Newbrough is owned by the Northumbrian Shipping Company, Ltd. (Messrs. Common Brothers, of Newcastle, managers). It is impossible to say whether she can be salvaged or not.

SUBMARINE FOR CHINA.

The submarine, Rainbow, Lieutenant-Commander T. Yeoman, was ordered to leave Portsmouth for the China Station on December 29. Her programme is as follows:—Colombo, February 8-15; Port Swettenham, February 20-24; Singapore, February 25-28; Hong Kong, March 5. The arrival of the Rainbow will complete the Fourth Submarine Flotilla to its normal strength. It has been one short since the loss of the Poseidon last year.

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Letters 5 p.m.
Pres. Adams 5 p.m.
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poems gave him the position of
something very like the national
poet.

Punch's Formula.
On the whole, Punch's formula
seems a staid and sober one for a
twentieth-century humorous journal.
There is little that is snappy in it.
On the contrary, there are some-
times long explanatory paragraphs
under one or both of the two big
cartoons in each week's issue. There
is still a mid-Victorian leisureliness
about Punch. Yet it has produced
some of the most famous jokes in
modern humour.

There was the one about the Aber-
donian who had been on a visit to
London and, when asked why he had
come home so soon, replied "E—eh,
it's just a ruinous place, that! I
had na been there abune
two hours when—Bang—went ex-
plosion!"

And the railway porter's reply to
the old lady who was travelling with
a menagerie of pets is almost as
famous: "Stationmaster say, Mum,
as cats is 'dogs,' and rabbits is
'dogs,' and so's parrots, but this
here tortois is an insect, so there
ain't no charge for it."

The name of Mrs. Caudle, the
heroine of Douglas Jerrold's "Mrs.
Caudle's Curtain Lectures," has also
taken a permanent place in the
language. Jerrold was only one of
the great pens which have helped to
make Punch the monarch of Eng-
lish humour. It was for Punch that
Thackeray wrote the "Snob Papers,"
"Punch's Prize Novellists," "Plea-
ce-man X Ballads" and "Jeames's
Diary." It was for Punch that Tom
Hood wrote the "Song of the Shirt."

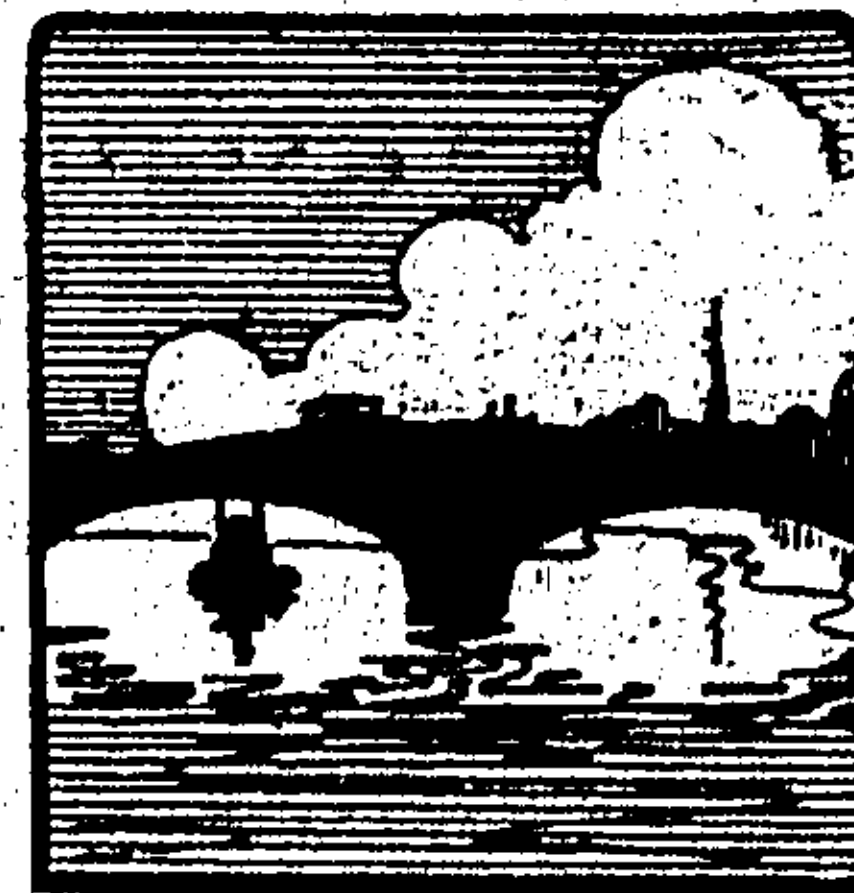
But in recalling these outstand-
ing names there is some danger of
losing sight of the real miracle of
Punch. What makes it unique
among the world's humorous jour-
nals is the fact that, almost at once
upon its foundation in 1841, it
gathered to itself the whole inheri-
tance of English humour and Eng-
lish caricature, and for half a cen-
tury afterward it bore alone the
whole responsibility for both these
great traditions.

It can hardly be regarded as less
than a miracle that a humorous
journal with a small-sized page and
no colour should have attracted al-
most from its inception the great
figures in art and literature, who
have left their initials carved on
the Round Table and their names in-
scribed among the immortals. And
it is equally remarkable that the
lines which Punch laid down for it-
self from the first should have been
followed with such unvarying adal-
ity throughout its long life. It has
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Punch is a newspaper as well as a
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Trade Views Exchanged.

London, To-day.
The President of the Board of Trade Mr. Walter Runciman, yesterday received Doctor Julio Roca, and other members of the Argentine Mission, who are remaining in this country on the conclusion of an official visit in connection with trade negotiations between the two countries.
Statements of the Argentine and the United Kingdom points of view were exchanged, and committees were set up for the purpose of examining further various aspects of the situation.—British Wireless Services.

DOLLAR STEADY AS SILVER DECLINES.

London Pound Value Also Falls.

The local dollar remained steady being quoted at 1/3 this morning. Silver prices, spot and forward declined 1/4, opening this morning at 16-11/16 and 16 1/4, respectively. The London on New York cross rate declined 1/4 being given at £-G\$3.43 1/4, while the New York on London rate was quoted at £-G\$3.43 1/4 this morning.

HENRY FORD UNDER FIRE FOR BANK FAILURE

Detroit's Financial Confusion.

R. F. C. LOAN REFUSED

Detroit, To-day.
Despite the fact that it has \$9,000,000 in a local bank, it is reported that the city is technically unable to meet the interest obligations of \$811,000.—Reuter.
A disagreement between Mr. Henry Ford and Senator James Couzens of Detroit, once a member of the Ford firm, figured in the breakdown of the negotiations for a loan from the reconstruction of the Finance Corporation sufficient to tide over the Union Guardian Trust emergency.

Senator Couzens, chairman of the Finance Reconstruction Committee which is investigating the Finance Reconstruction Loans in which Mr. Ford's \$7,000,000 deposit be listed as collateral in an application for the loan to be "frozen."
At the meeting, it is understood that Mr. Ford agreed to provide security for the loan only on the un-

RUSSIAN EXPELLED FROM COLONY.

Wished To Go To Macao.

Dmitry Lookianoff Boiko, 22, unemployed Russian was sentenced to two months' hard labour and had an expulsion order made against him by Mr. Wynne-Jones in the Central Police Court this morning, on a charge of arriving in the colony without a valid passport.
Boiko explained he wished to go to Macao.

It was stated by Sergeant Mottram that defendant was arrested in 1927 for begging in the Colony. He was expelled to Shanghai at the Government's expense. He returned, however, in 1930 and was sent to the House of Detention. He was again sent away, but he returned yesterday and was arrested by Sergeant Hill. Defendant had no papers except a registration with the Refugees' Association at Shanghai.

Understanding that the other large depositors followed his example. Retraction Of Ford Criticism.

Detroit, Later.
The State Governor of Michigan has retracted his statement that Mr. Henry Ford is partly responsible for the eight-day moratorium.—Reuter.

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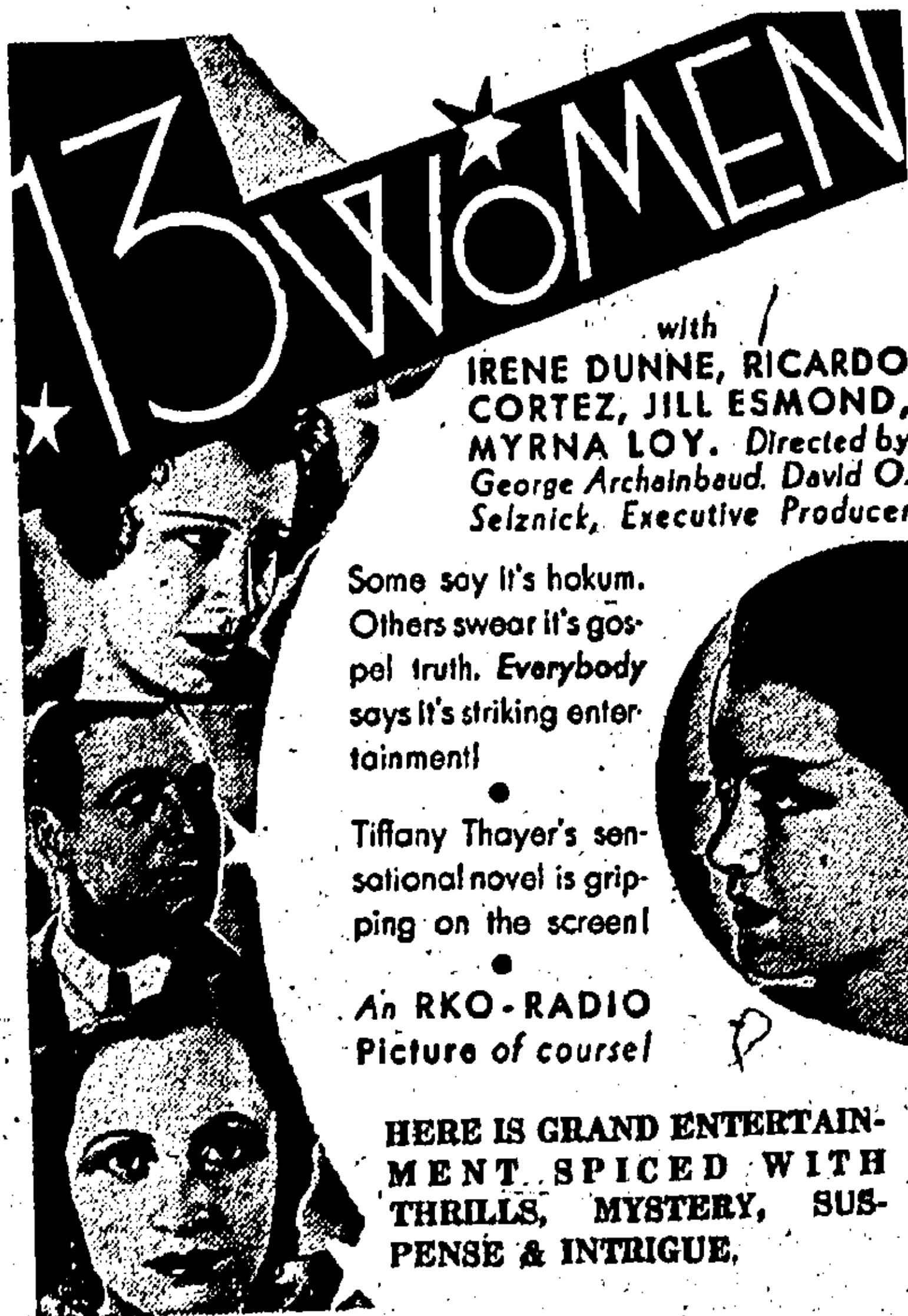
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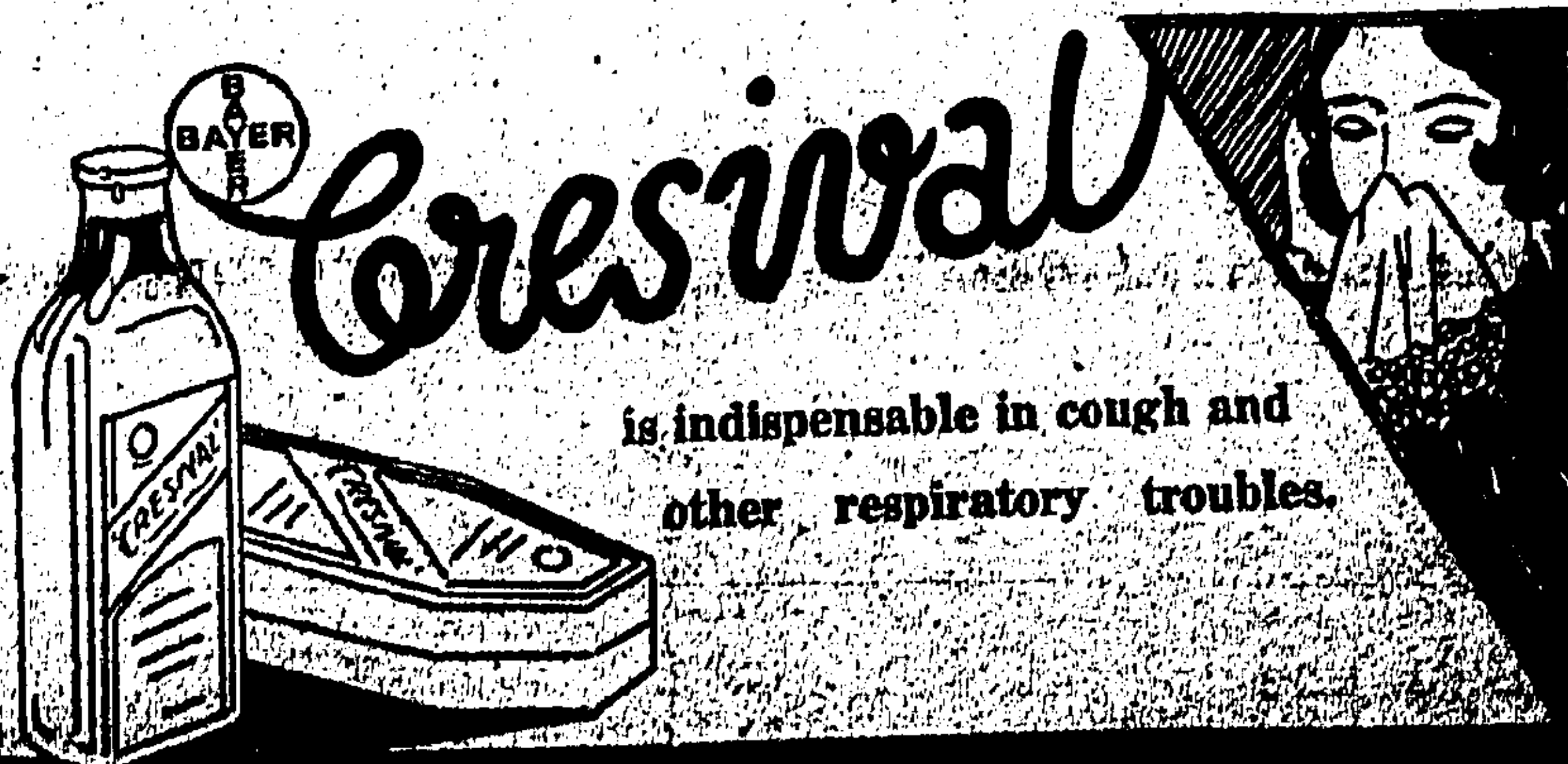
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